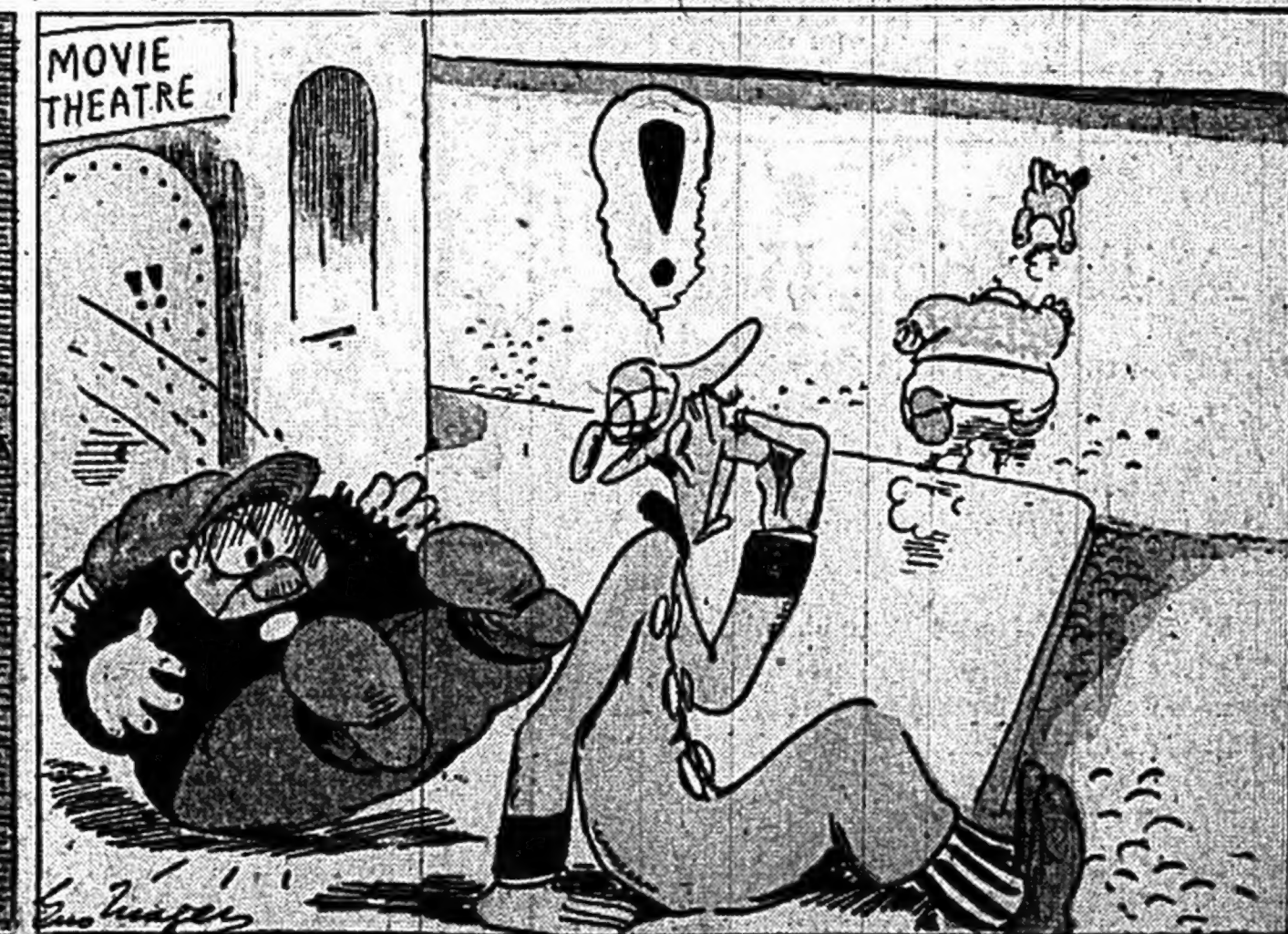
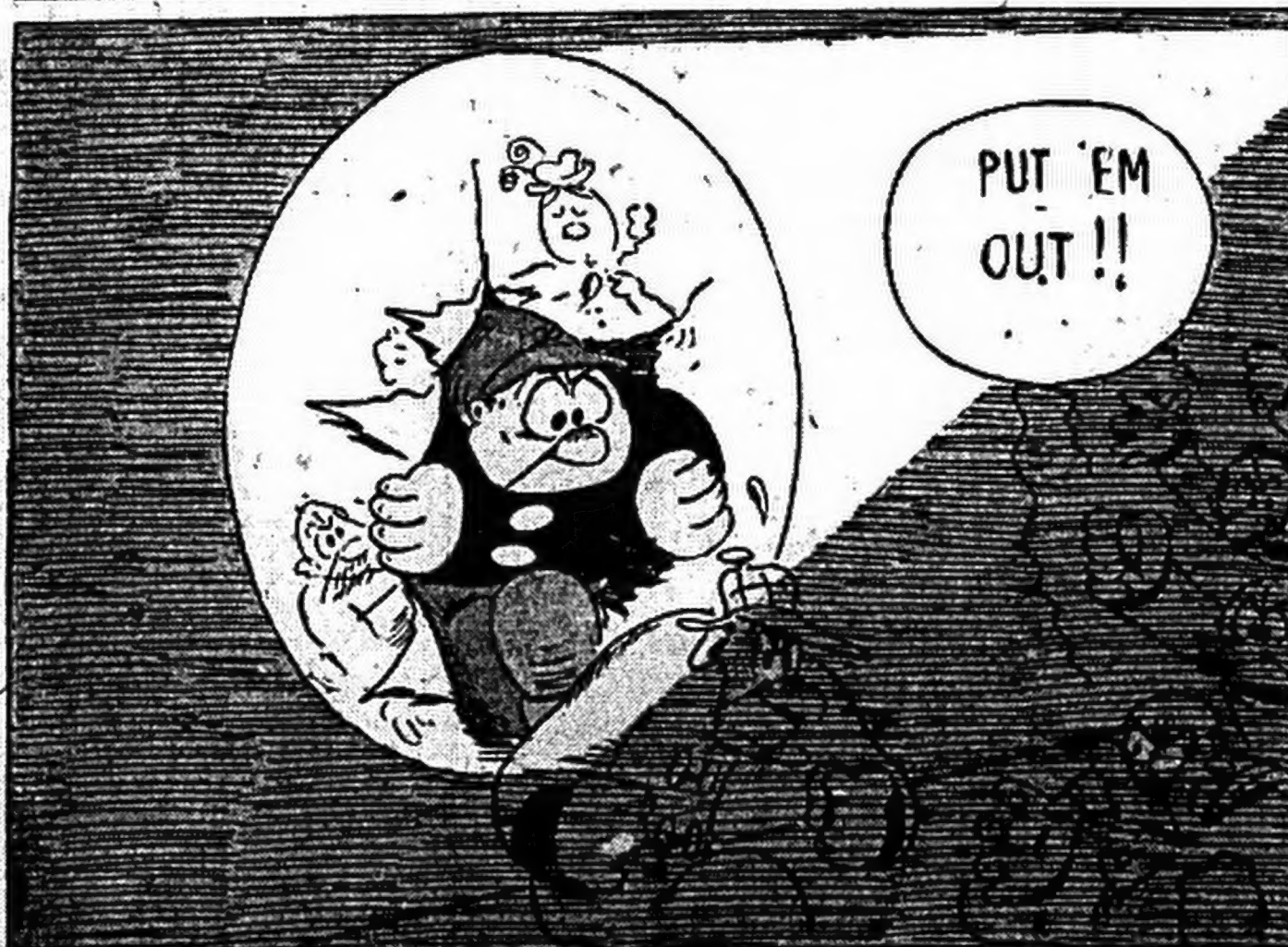
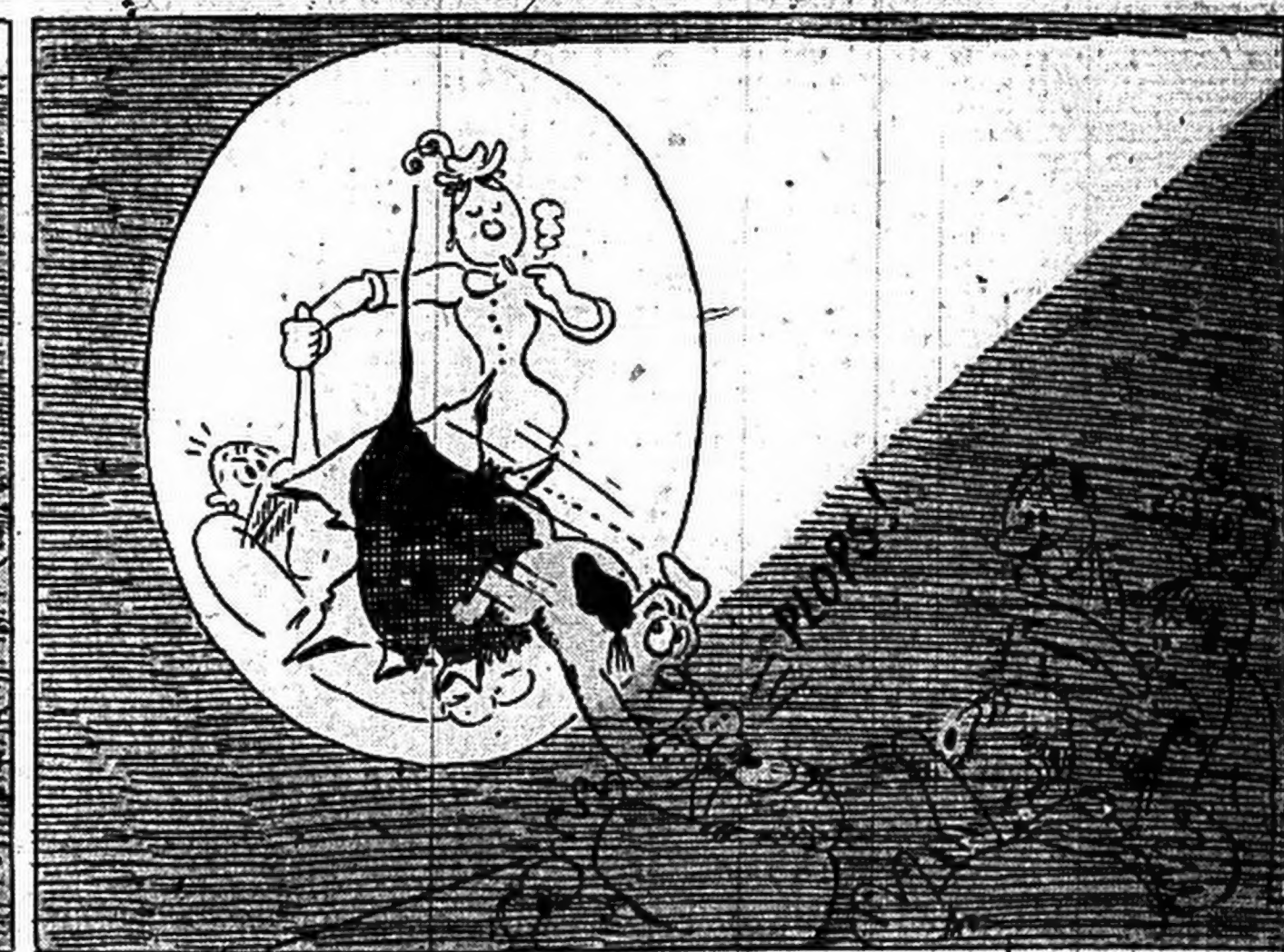
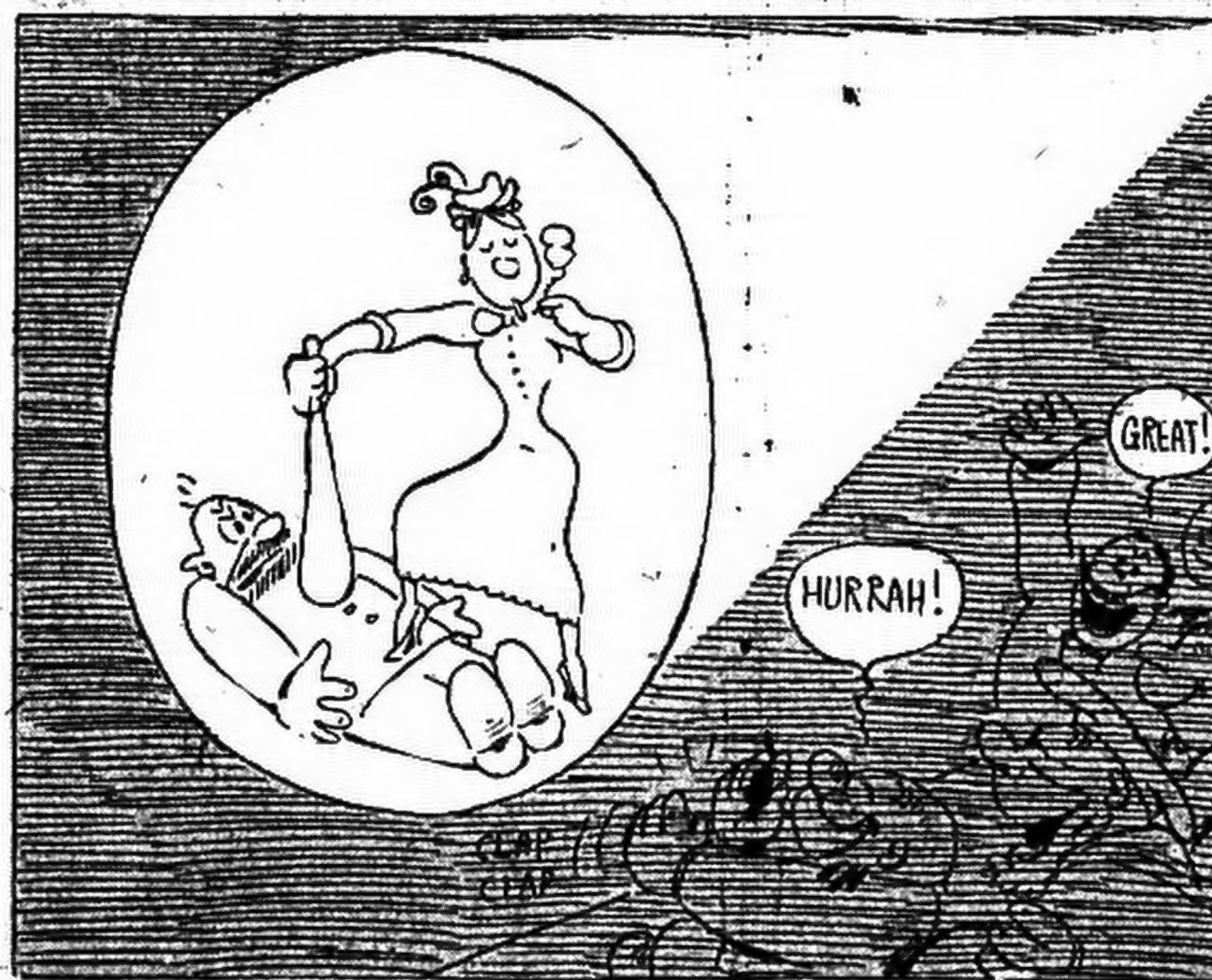
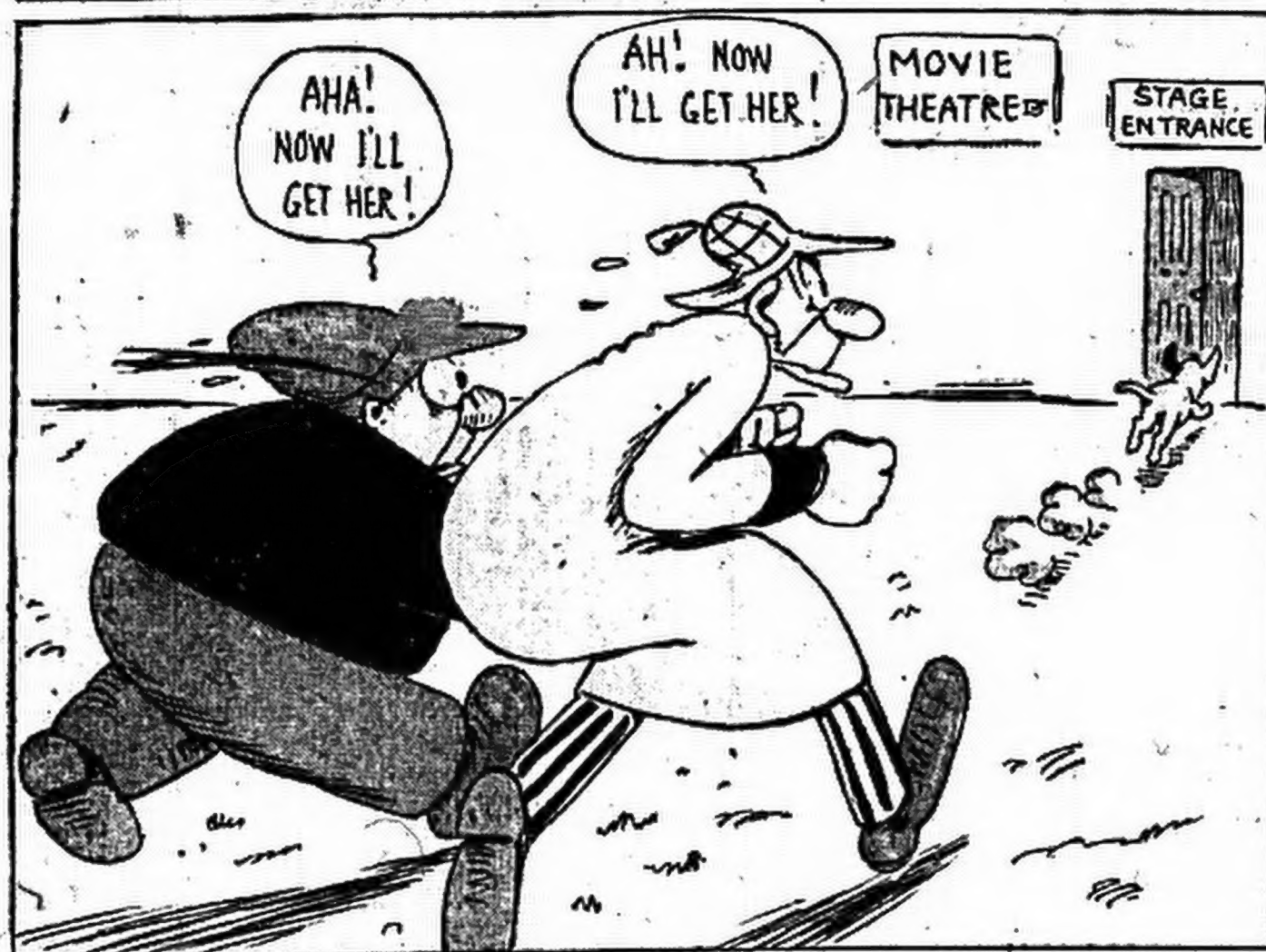
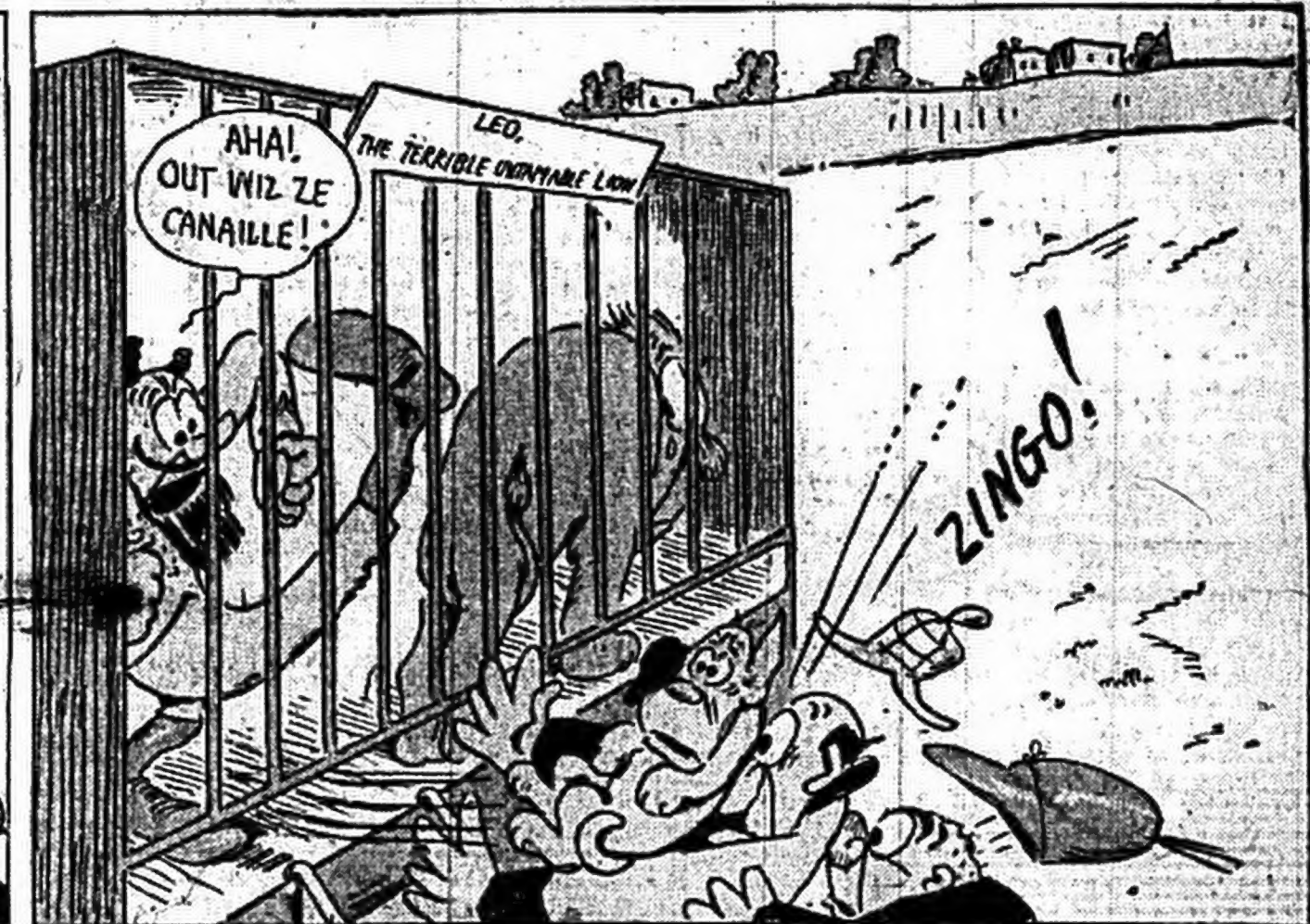
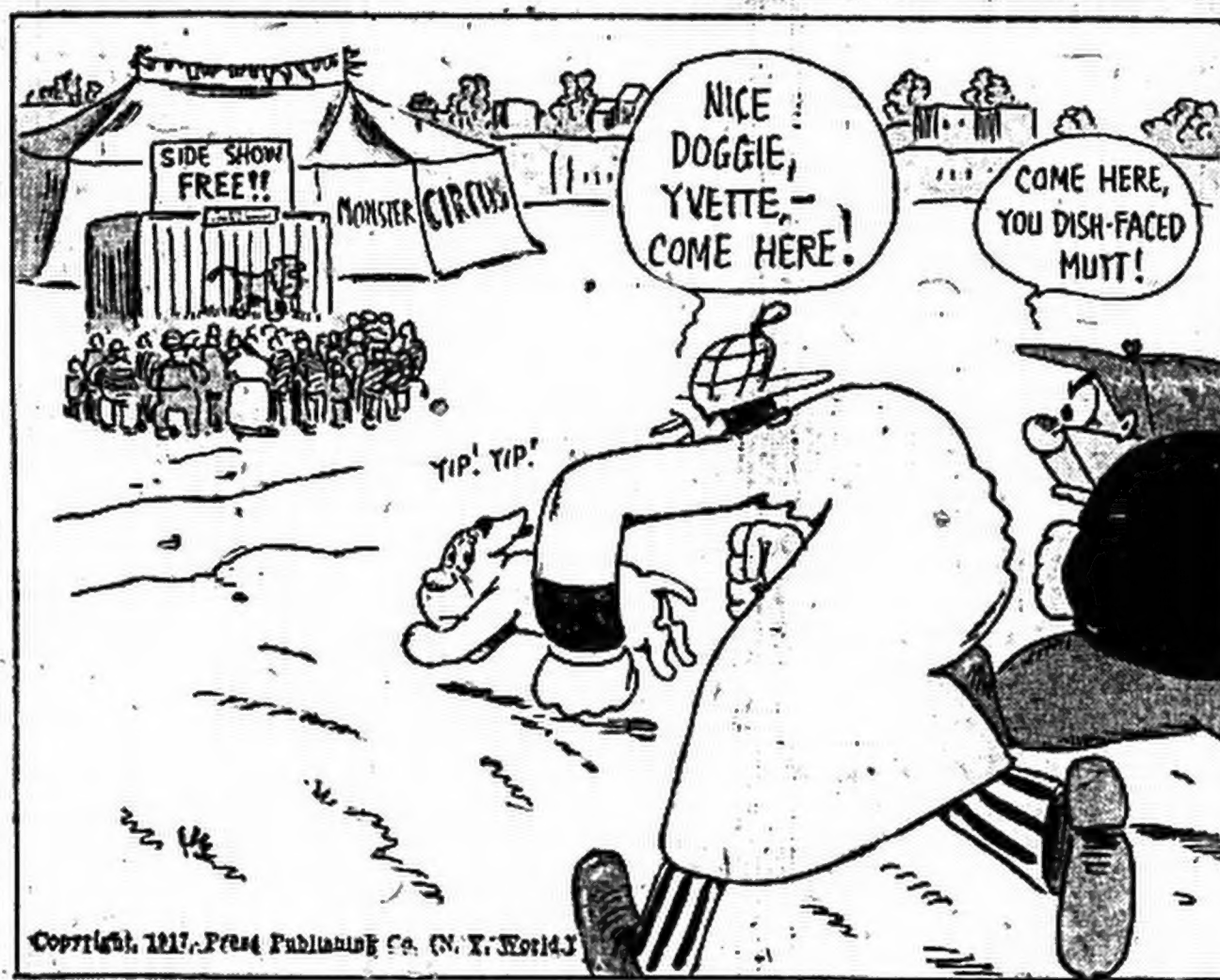
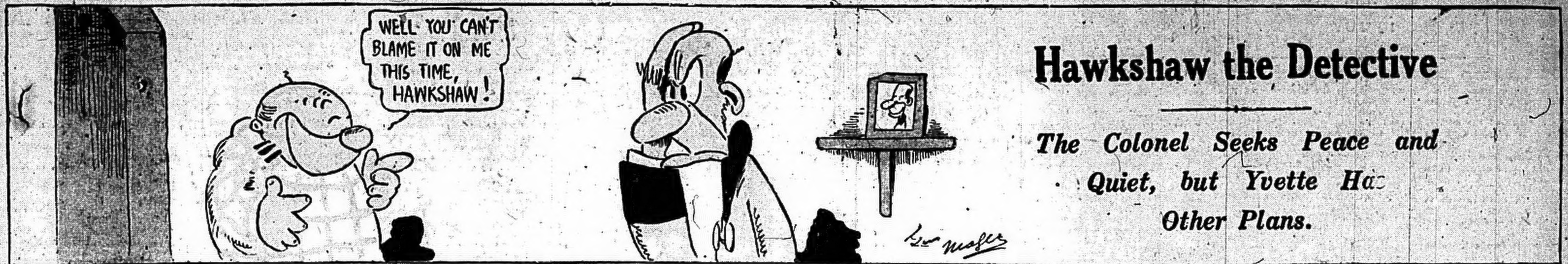


## THE AURORA SUNDAY BEACON-NEWS

SUNDAY, APRIL 22, 1917.





## The Gardening Spirit

By "PUT"

A Real Home Man.  
He seized his spade, for the garden he made.  
In the early hours of the day,  
He was filled with fire and a strong desire  
Big prices no more to pay  
For those eating things controlled by  
the rings—  
They couldn't starve him out.  
He had the muscle, and the will to  
huddle,  
Indignation made him stout.

He jabbed his spade in the holes he  
made;  
He prodded wide and deep;  
Worked the fancy stunts, with puffs  
and grunts.  
He'd drained off in his sleep,  
The sun waxed hot, he blundered not;  
No energy did he slack;  
The sweat in streaks coursed down  
his cheeks;  
His shirt clove to his back.

It is safe to say there will come the  
day.  
When others are feeding short,  
He'll have onions, beets, and garden  
treasures.

Of every conceivable sort.  
The wind may blow the wintry snow,  
Let happen what a'er there may,  
He will be there with fodder to spare,  
And, perchance, to give away.

On the Rock Island train, between  
Joliet and Peoria, I kept my gaze  
fastened out of the window, to note  
what was being done in the scarce  
food emergency, in way of garden  
plots.

It was really surprising to observe  
how generally the extra propagation  
scheme is being carried out. In nearly  
all the small towns passed could be  
seen vacant lots and spare places  
spaded up and preparing for garden  
service.

There will be one harrowing sensa-  
tion later in the year. Vegetables will  
be so reduced in price the one who  
put extra work into gardening will  
scarcely feel it has paid. But, look  
here, you unconvinced fellows—un-  
derstand if you had not put forth  
that early vigorous raising effort,  
and others had been equally neglect-  
ful, garden truck would be so scarce  
and high it would be out of reach of  
ordinary humanity. Pitch in and  
spade, rake and hoe, you fellows of  
happy, tranquil homes. Provide for  
the future, and slam the door to your  
vulnerable bin in the face of hunger-  
ing adversity.

There was to be noticed, with a  
sentiment of approval, the farmers  
are more generally than usual break-  
ing ground with plow on low, and  
heretofore uncultivated tracts. They  
are also, in their heretofore cultivated  
fields plowing closer to the fence  
line, and into the corners of the  
field.

The farmer is at last beginning to  
realize his acres are veritable gold  
mines, and where he fails to cultivate  
he is metaphorically throwing mis-  
sile right up into the air.

I got into conversation with a farm-  
er, who had been to an adjoining  
town on the train. He could not  
spare a work team from the field to  
drive to the town store for groceries,  
and he had not yet an automobile.  
He expects to get one after harvest  
time, and high-price-grain selling  
time.

This farmer declared he recently  
visited a son, living in the next coun-  
ty, whom he had helped buy a farm.  
While he was wandering over this  
place with his farmer offspring, he  
noticed that which made him re-  
mark, "Here, young man—I want  
you to plow nearer that hedge, so  
you can raise at least three rows of  
potatoes the whole length of the  
field."

Tiding on a train sometimes pre-  
sents its thrilling incidents. On the  
way from Peoria to Rock Island, a  
big, rough appearing fellow came  
mumbling and swaggering up the  
aisle. He sat down by a quiet-look-  
ing, elderly man, and soon began  
boisterously to berate him. Finally,  
the intoxicated bruiser arose, and ad-  
dressed the oldish gentleman, "Say,  
I don't like that kind of talk a'tall.  
I've got a good mind to smash you  
right in the nose."

The fellow talked on loud and bluf-  
fantly everybody in the car aroused,  
and turned to listen, or partly arose  
from seats in order to see what was  
going on. And here was what they  
observed:

They beheld that drunken bluffer  
—who was about to pounce on the  
"snoot"—his orderly seat companion—  
they observed this fellow suddenly  
topple over backward to the car floor  
in the aisle. They noted that a re-  
solute arm was clutching his coat col-

lar. They saw the possessor of this  
resolute arm and clutching hand,  
yank the brute to his feet. They ob-  
served the fellow pushed down the  
aisle to the door; then down the  
steps to a depot platform, where his  
conqueror placed him in the care of  
a station policeman. The passengers,  
who had gotten on at the last  
station. One of the fellows, who had  
been there to witness the exciting  
incident just related, thus addressed  
the quiet and placid-looking con-  
ductor: "Say, you treated that fellow  
right. But you had lots of nerve to  
make such a burly brute." The  
conductor turned, and with a smile  
placid as that of a Sunday school  
teacher replied, "When I find I am  
not able to shove off my train such  
drunken bruisers as that fellow, I'll  
quit conducting."

Oh, yes, I was again at Freeport.  
While there, our old Aurora boy, Jim  
Poling, who is now Dr. Poling, one  
of the most prominent physicians of  
the place, took me out to his home,  
which is a beautiful stone residence,  
widely porched and profusely gabled,  
in the midst of parkly surroundings.

On the place is a small, artificial  
lake, with diminutive wharf and  
launch. It takes owing to its  
stocking, are large bass, pike and  
other finny ones. Poling informed  
me there were some particularly  
large gold fish in the pond. I was  
surprised that the more pugnacious  
pike would allow the gold fish to re-  
main alive in the same pond. James  
declared the body of water was one  
of peace and tranquility.

I was taken to an enclosure where  
were to be seen eight placid deer,  
that gazed at me with mellow, in-  
quiring eyes, and ears pitched erect  
and forward, to be instantly able to  
detect any symptoms of aggressive-  
ness or hostility.

When I congratulated Poling on the  
peaceful herd, he declared it was not  
always thus—or, had not always been  
free from trouble. A few months be-  
fore, he had purchased an immense  
buck deer, that he might preside in  
dignity as a monarch of the placid  
herd.

One day, in a spirit of wild frenzy,  
this giant buck attacked his group  
companions and killed four of its  
most peaceful members. The doctor  
remarked he had named the buck  
"The Kaiser." He afterward consid-  
ered the name aptly applied. Within  
a very few days succeeding the time  
the kaiser took to the warpath, all  
placidity declared, "We had a big din-  
ner, at which the roasted kaiser played  
the star part."

## ELBURN

Elburn, Ill., April 21.—M. B. Hough  
was a Geneva visitor Tuesday.

Tuesday's annual village elec-  
tion was held but because there was  
only one ticket to be voted upon there  
was little interest shown. Only 18  
men voted, and eight women. The  
ticket as presented to the voters and  
elected was as follows: For village  
president, John Klingberg, for village  
trustees, H. L. McEwan, T. E. Bemis  
and Adelbert Flowers; for police  
magistrate, H. L. Miles and P. P.  
Gibbins each received three votes.  
G. P. Gook of Harvard was in town  
on business Wednesday.

Mrs. George Bartlett was an Aurora  
shopper Monday.

Miss Tina Schneider was an Aurora  
visitor Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Reeves were  
visiting friends in Geneva Wednesday.

Hicks Downing Jr. left Monday  
for Detroit, Mich., where he has a po-  
sition.

Monday night saw the beginning of  
the first aid work in the  
opera house where a good sized au-  
dience listened attentively to the in-  
structions given by Dr. C. D. Cal-  
houn. Those present also partici-  
pated in the interesting work as in-  
structed by the physician. At this  
time a class of 30, mostly women was  
organized to meet in the opera house  
at 7 o'clock last Monday evening.  
Not only is it requested that more  
join the class but it is desired that  
the young men of the community  
plan to avail themselves of this op-  
portunity to attend and acquaint  
themselves with the essentials in first  
aid work. The members of the high  
school are especially requested to  
meet with the first aid class.

ROAD AGAIN ASKS  
GRANT OF BATAVIAA. E. & C. Officials Suggest  
Conference With City Heads  
Over New Franchise.Have Already Paid Out About \$2,000  
—See Possibility of Life  
Outside City.

Batavia, Ill., April 21.—The A. E. &  
C. railroad officials have asked the  
city of Batavia for a conference to  
consider the matter of a new fran-  
chise. City Attorney Paul Kuhn an-  
nounced late today.

The railroad officials sent a check  
to cover the daily charge of \$15 due  
the city until Monday night and said,  
"now that election is past, we  
should confer."

The railroad has paid since the dif-  
ferences following the stopping of  
the cars from passing thru the city  
last January, a lump sum of \$500 and  
a fee of \$15 a day.

The matter of the company con-  
structing a line around the city of  
Batavia is not a mere rumor, it is said  
those who know. It was said that  
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The city's original demand on the  
company was for a cash payment of  
\$2,500 a year; payment by the rail-  
road company of the cost of paving  
between the railroad tracks and one  
foot on either side in Batavia, pay-  
ment by the company of one-third of  
cost of paving the remainder of Bat-  
avia avenue; laying 100-pound rails  
when the paving work is done; sub-  
stitution of iron or concrete poles for  
the present wooden poles, and half  
hour service between north city lim-  
its of Batavia and Aurora.

The company offered \$750 a year  
for a period of 20 years. A true was  
finally made, and the company  
agreed to pay \$15 a day in advance  
for the right to run cars thru the city  
and the \$15 a day to apply on the an-  
nual fund, when it would be deter-  
mined. The company made other of-  
fers. The city rejected the offer.

The company has now paid for this  
year nearly \$2,000, which includes  
the \$500 cash payment.

Social and Personal.  
Mr. and Mrs. William Dickinson  
have been visiting friends here the  
past few days preparatory to moving  
to Davenport, Iowa, where Mr. Dick-  
inson has accepted a position.

Miss Kathleen Moore of Chicago is  
spending the week-end with relatives.  
Albert Weaver of Fairbault, Minn.,  
is visiting former friends in this city.

Miss Genevieve Jones has gone to  
DeKalb where she will remain with  
relatives for several weeks.

The Batavia Swedish Vaudeville  
club will give a Swedish entertain-  
ment Saturday evening at the Knights  
of Pythias hall.

Stated meeting of Batavia lodge No.  
401, A. E. & C. M., Monday will be  
held at 8 o'clock. There will be im-  
portant work. Visiting Masons are  
cordially invited.

Mrs. Frank Smith will entertain the  
Luncheon club at her home Tuesday  
afternoon.

Mrs. I. L. Bartholomew, who has  
been ill with a severe attack of the  
grip, is much improved.

Walter Hanson, who has been em-  
ployed in the Appleton Manufacturing  
company, has resigned and has ac-  
cepted a position at Texas and was  
given a farewell party at the Hen-  
drickson restaurant last evening. Mr.  
Hanson plans to leave soon.

Dr. J. C. Augustine, who has been  
ill with the grip since his return to  
this city from the south, has re-  
covered.

The Geneva Batavia Musical club  
will give a concert at the Galena  
Boulevard M. E. church April 27.

At the regular meeting of Rowena  
lodge, K. of P., last evening, a large  
crowd of the members were in atten-  
dance to complete plans for attending  
the district convention at Geneva

Thursday evening, April 26. A special  
car will be secured to take the mem-  
bers to Geneva, the leaving time to be  
announced early in the week. The  
drum and bugle corps will lead the  
delegation from Batavia and a short  
parade will be held in Geneva. It is  
expected that fifty or more members  
from Batavia will attend. After the  
business of the evening was completed,  
the "rookies" enjoyed a half hour  
drill in "military tactics" by Corporal  
Hopkins, to music by the drum  
and bugle corps. A "debate" will be  
held between two teams at the meet-  
ing next Friday evening. The ques-  
tion for discussion is "Resolved, That  
the United States should regulate  
the price of all food stuffs." W. H.  
Reaney is the leader of the affirma-  
tive and W. J. Dickinson will lead  
the debate on the negative side.  
Messrs. Bowman, Freed and Larson  
are to be the judges. An enjoyable  
and educational evening's entertain-  
ment is looked forward to by the  
members, as both sides are gathering  
all the argument possible.

Emerson-Brantingham Building.  
The Emerson-Brantingham build-  
ing has started work on an addi-  
tion to the plant. The building will  
be 100x50 feet on the ground and will  
be a two story structure to be used  
for an addition to the paint shop.

First Church of Christ, Scientist.—Ba-  
tavia, Ill., will hold regular service in  
the Van Norwick block on the island at 11  
a. m. Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Wed-  
nesday evening services at 7:30 o'clock.  
Reading room in the same building open  
daily from 2 o'clock. Subject for study  
Sunday, April 22, "Portents of Atone-  
ment."

ST. CHARLES BOY  
LANDS IN FRANCE

Edwin Higgins, Gunner Aboard  
Armed Merchant Liner On-  
ega, Passes U-boat Zone.

Was Ordered by U. S. Navy Aboard  
Merchantman to Watch for  
German Submarines.

St. Charles, Ill., April 21.—Edwin  
Higgins, former St. Charles boy, now  
of Elgin, was a passenger on the  
armed merchant liner Onega, which  
arrived safely at a French  
port yesterday, passing unscathed  
thru the zone where the German sub-  
marines have been active.

Young Higgins is a son of Mr. and  
Mrs. Edward Higgins of Elgin, where  
the father is now a police officer.

Higgins is a gunner, serving in the  
United States navy. He was placed  
by the government as a gunner on  
the armed merchant ship Onega to  
shoot at German submarines when-  
ever they were sighted. Higgins is  
the first Kane county resident to  
pass thru the barred zone in Europe  
since war was declared against Ger-  
many by the United States.

Waco Church Conference.  
The rural church conference,  
which is to be held at Waco Thurs-  
day, Friday and Saturday, May 2, 3  
and 4 will be of interest to all peo-  
ple in this vicinity. Among the  
speakers who will participate on the  
program are John Haeberg, presi-  
dent of the Illinois Sunday School  
association, Dr. G. L. Robinson of the  
McDonnell Theological seminary,  
Dwight Sanderson, Chicago, former  
dean of the college of agriculture of  
the University of Chicago.

Prof. J. F. Artig of Naperville will  
be in the chair of the choir and the  
school pageant, which is to be held  
at the close of the program Saturday  
afternoon. Everyone in this city is  
cordially invited to attend.

Social and Personal.  
The members of the Congregational  
church will attend the meeting of the  
Congregational church of the Fox  
river valley to be held Tuesday and  
Wednesday at Batavia, April 24 and  
25.

The Rev. Robert J. Carson has re-  
turned from an extended western  
trip and will be at the church tomor-  
row morning.

Mr. C. A. Miller has returned from  
Chicago, where she spent the winter  
months.

Sidney Reed, who was kicked by a  
horse a few days ago, is able to be  
up and about. He had a bad laceration  
on his forehead, but has suffered no  
serious effects.

Mrs. William G. Heffernan has return-  
ed from Montreal, Canada, where she  
has been visiting friends.

Mrs. William Morse, who fell down  
the cellar stairs at her home yester-  
day, and suffered a badly sprained  
arm, is recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Farnald have  
returned from an extended stay in  
Florida.

GENEVAN MARRIED  
AT FLINT, MICH.Gorton Fautleroy Claims Miss  
Dorothy Dort, Auto Maker's  
Daughter, as Bride.Wedding, Brilliant Social Affair,  
Taken Place Late Saturday  
at Flint Church.

Geneva, Ill., April 21.—The marriage  
of Miss Dorothy Dort, daughter of  
J. Dallas Dort, president of the Dort  
Auto company of Flint, Mich., to Gor-  
ton Fautleroy, son of T. S. Fautleroy  
of Batavia avenue, were married at  
4 o'clock this afternoon at the  
Episcopal church at Flint, Mich.

The wedding was one of the bril-  
liant social events of the spring and  
a large number of society people  
from Detroit and Chicago were in-  
cluded in the bridal party. The bride  
is a popular young woman and has  
frequently visited in Chicago where  
Mr. Fautleroy met her.

The couple will leave on an ex-  
tended wedding trip and will later  
come to Geneva where they will be  
at home to their friends after June  
1 at the T. S. Fautleroy home in Ba-  
tavia avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Fautleroy, T.  
S. Fautleroy, Mr. and Mrs. William  
Banks of this city and Mr. and Mrs.  
H. K. Zimmerman of Chicago met the  
party from this city and left Chicago  
yesterday for Flint.

School Election Quiet.  
The school election was a quiet af-  
fair today as there was no opposi-  
tion. R. R. Fautleroy was the only  
candidate for president. Mrs. A. L.  
Hill and Mrs. Mary E. Hill were  
the candidates to fill vacancies for  
three years on the board of education.  
Sherman Huntley was chosen to fill  
the vacancy caused by the resignation  
of James Holmberg who resigned to  
become janitor of the new school.  
The polling place was the high school  
noon.

Ellis Has Salary Raised.  
Word was received today from  
Springfield by Supt. E. A. Ellis stat-  
ing that he has had his salary raised  
from \$3,250 per year to \$3,500.

Clean-up Days Fixed.  
Mayor Josiah has fixed the days for  
the annual clean-up. They will be  
next Thursday, Friday and Saturday  
and everyone that has rubbish for the  
man to carry away is asked to place  
it on the parking so that it can be  
given prompt attention and it will not  
be necessary to go back over the

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# PREPARE FOR BIG WAR COUNCIL

## GREAT BRITISH LEADERS HERE

Foreign Minister Arthur Balfour and 23 Other English Officers Arrive.

## OPEN PARLEY IN WASHINGTON

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.) Washington, April 21.—The brains of England and America will combine next week to complete the downfall of Prussian militarism and autocracy, and to make the world safe for democracy.

Tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock, the official British commission, headed by Arthur James Balfour, foreign minister, will arrive in Washington. Monday will see the inauguration of a series of conferences looking upon as the most important "war meeting" of the world conflict.

War plans of the most far-reaching character, calculated to bring Great Britain and the United States closer than they have ever been in history, will be discussed.

Twenty-four British leaders arrive. Twenty-four men comprise the visiting commission, which Mr. Balfour will bring to Washington. They will be met at the station by an official reception party headed by Secretary of State Lansing and Major-General Leonard Wood, commander of the department of the east, representing the army, and Admiral Frank F. Fletcher, representing the navy.

Army and navy officers of lesser rank, British embassy officials and other officials will make up the remainder of the reception commission.

The British commission landed at an American port yesterday. Every precaution will be taken to guard the distinguished visitors from their arrival here and for the period of the stay. Around the Union station will be thrown two troops of the Second Cavalry, commanded by Lieut.-Col. Fenton. The troops will escort the commission to the quarters which have been provided for them in a handsome residence in the State street and in the Hotel Sherman. No one will be permitted to penetrate the cavalry and police guards unless armed with the proper credentials, showing he has business there.

Lansing to meet Balfour. Secretary Lansing will greet Mr. Balfour when he steps from the train. Accompanying him will be Counselor Polk of the department, Assistant Secretary of State Phillips, Colonel Harbo, aide to the president; Colonel Heiche, Third Assistant Secretary of State Breckinridge Long and others.

Eight carriages will convey the visitors to their quarters. The personnel of the commission as announced tonight, follows:

Those in Party.  
The Right Hon. Arthur James Balfour, M. P., O. M.  
The Hon. Sir Eric Drummond, K. C. M. G., C. B.  
Liam Malcolm, M. P.  
C. M. J. Dornier.  
Geoffrey Butler.  
Rear Admiral Sir Dudley, R. S. D. Chair, R. N., K. C. B., M. V. O.  
Fleet Paymaster-General Vincent A. Lawford, R. N., D. S. O.  
Major Gen. G. T. M. Bridges, C. M. G., D. S. O.  
Capt. H. H. Spender-Clay, M. P.  
Lord Curzon, of Headley, Governor of the Bank of England.  
Major J. N. P. Hoes, V. C., M. C., royal flying corps.  
Major C. E. Dalry, war office.  
Lord Eustace Percy, foreign office.  
A. A. Patton, foreign office.  
F. P. Robinson, board of trade.  
S. McKenna, war trade intelligence department.  
M. D. Peterson, foreign trade department.  
F. C. Phillips, ammunition and transport department, ministry of munitions.  
Colonel Heron, ordnance and lines of communication.  
Major Puckle, supplies and transports.  
Colonel Goodwin, war office.  
Colonel Langhorne, war office.  
Captain Lemming.  
Mr. Amos.

## PRITCHARD AND CURRIER QUIT ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY

Lawrence Currier and Elliott Pritchard have withdrawn from the university of Illinois to assist in the work of preparing the United States for war. Young Currier has been appointed a second lieutenant in the marine corps and will leave tomorrow for the east for a month and a half of training before taking his command.

Pritchard is to go to farming, that being the course advised by the university for the students in the agricultural school in which he was registered. By special arrangement the university is giving all men withdrawn from school for military purposes full credit for the semester's work. The boys report that there is a veritable wave of patriotism sweeping over the Illinois and that men are withdrawing at the rate of from 50 to 100 a day, for service in the armed forces of the nation or its farms.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ennorff whose marriage occurred recently will visit friends in Chicago and vicinity for a time.

## BRAZILIANS WAR UPON GERMAN COLONISTS

(By John P. White, Staff Correspondent International News Service.)

Buenos Aires, April 21.—German colonists of several large communities in Brazil are engaged in desperate warfare with native Brazilians who, in many cases, are being flooded by Brazilian army men. Many have been killed on both sides. The zone of the fighting, it was said tonight, was extending over the entire southern portion of Brazil from the city of Porto Alegre to the German colonies of Uruguayana on the Brazilian Argentine border. As in Porto Alegre, the German colonists of Uruguayana have been fighting two days against the Brazilians defending themselves and natives and children against hundreds of unorganized natives who surround the barricaded buildings and pour fire from pistols and rifles against the calculating fire of the German rifles.

The rising in southern Brazil against the Germans has become a general movement. The fighting all reports agree, has reached a stage of actual warfare.

## GERMANS MASSING FOR FINAL STAND

(The International News Service.) London, April 21.—A comparative lull marked the situation in the west today, the only action on a large scale, being an additional one mile advance by the British between St. Quentin and Cambrai and the capture of the village of Gonnelle, on that front. Some prisoners were taken. Bitter fighting preceded the occupation of the village.

Meanwhile the French the contenting themselves for the greater part of the day with consolidating their latest gains and holding off German counter thrusts registered additional headway in grenade fighting south of Juvincourt and to the east of Courcy. To the east of Craonne and north of Rheims a violent big gun duel raged throughout the day. With their backs against the Siegfried line, the Germans are expected to strike back ceaselessly from now on. Some military experts even look for a concerted counter offensive.

Correspondents at the front point to the German concentration of the reserves as surpassing anything seen in this war. The German war effort after returning to its regular bulletins, today reports the repulse of French attacks, and a gradual increase of the artillery activity between Louve and the Arras-Cambrai railroad, emphasized the heroism of the Teuton troops in the west "on the mighty battlefield from the Aisne to the Champagne."

## WHITLOCK TELLS CRUELTY OF GERMAN IN BELGIUM

(By International News Service.) Washington, April 21.—An official report from Brand Whitlock, American minister to Belgium, made public tonight by the state department, describes the cruelties inflicted by the Germans upon inhabitants of the little over-run kingdom, who were deported during the winter months of last winter. The report was written in January but until now no part of it has been made public.

Mr. Whitlock says it was only thru fear that the relief work of the Comité National, the Belgian organization which collaborated with the Germans during the winter months might be interfered with and thus place a greater burden on Prussian shoulders, that Germany did not deport more. The envoy reported that he was continually in receipt of reports from all over Belgium that tend to substantiate the stories he was continually hearing of brutality and cruelty. A number of men deported from Mons when went back were in a dying condition, many of them tubercular. Friends of men returned to Malmes and Antwerp declared that they had been victims of neglect and cruelty, having suffered from cold exposure and hunger.

## BALFOUR FINDS AMERICA NOT TAKING WAR SERIOUSLY

(The International News Service.) Somewhere in the United States, April 21.—The brilliant and forceful statesman who has won for him an enviable position among the world's ablest statesmen, the Right Honorable Arthur James Balfour, Great Britain's foreign minister, uttered the entry of the United States into the great war, upon his arrival in this country yesterday, to confer with the American government officials, as to the common policies the United States and Great Britain will adopt in the prosecution of their common cause, against the German government.

"The people of the United States, in my opinion, are not themselves ready to play in this conflict," said the veteran diplomat. "I have heard that many people here do not take the war very seriously—don't appreciate the proposition they are up against. That may be true. I don't wonder at it. Why should they? It hasn't been too long since they were at ease. It was to the people of the allied countries, millions of whom have lost their dear ones in this war. But the United States will realize it, and when the people of the United States act, they act quickly. O, course, from the very nature of its position, the United States cannot be expected to enter into the war to the extent that European nations have."

## TEUTON POWERS REVOLT RIDDEN

Rebellion is Rife and Outbreaks Frequent Thruout Hungary and German Empire.

## DISCOURAGED OVER DEFEATS

(The International News Service.) London, April 21.—Rebellion is rife in Hungary, while Germany is in the throes of the gravest troubles witnessed in the empire since the outbreak of the war. Troubles, which are menacing the stability of the monarchy and threatening to cripple her industrially as an active belligerent.

News dispatches to this effect started Europe today. All of them were, however, of an unimodal and roundabout character. It will be 40 hours at least before their authenticity can be established.

The dispatches come from responsible, well trained correspondents and in circles where the closest touch has been maintained with the conditions in the two Teutonic empires, not the slightest doubt is entertained that the news is accurate.

Many believe the actual situation is even worse than reported, notwithstanding the fact that Berlin late this afternoon officially denied there had been any flots or jets of fighting, asserting the strikes were "already settled."

News of internal upheavals in Hungary came from Rome. "Vatican advice" was quoted as saying that a revolution in the kingdom was imminent, and that as a result of various disturbances in the capital, Budapest and 25 other cities and towns have been placed in a state of siege.

Reports of the strike troubles in Germany were sent by correspondents to the Dutch-German frontier. They told of an unsuccessful attempt by 10,000 strikers, mostly munition workers in Magdeburg, fortified capital of the Prussian province of Saxony, to burn the town hall.

Pitched battles were fought between the strikers and the troops, many rifles being killed or wounded.

City in Siege. Cities have been declared in a state of siege, the dispatches say. Meanwhile some 20,000 ammunition makers in Berlin and Spandau, refusing to resume their work which they abandoned late last Monday, chiefly as the result of the reduction of bread rations, are making organized efforts to incite their brethren, who are still working, to join the strike.

Thruout the day there came many conflicting rumors about serious outbreaks in German cities, particularly in the Rhine provinces. Frontier advisers assert the people are greatly discouraged over the course the fighting has taken on the west front, and the workmen are seizing on the opportunity to demand not only more food and more equitable distribution of food stuffs, but also an end to the war, and other reforms. To these demands is added the cry for peace.

## WAR RELIEF COMMITTEE IS CREATED BY D. A. R.

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.) Washington, April 21.—A standing committee on war relief in work in co-operation with the advisory committee of the council of national defense, was created at the final session of the Daughters of the American Revolution today. The national service of the Daughters will be standardized thruout this committee. Committees in each state are to be formed by one member from each of the chapters, who will report directly to the national committee.

Each chapter is urged to create a fund to be used by the national society for an emergency and members are urged to co-operate with the work of planting all available lands in foodstuffs.

## RAID ON CHIAPOVANO

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.) Rome, via London, April 21, 5:11 p. m.—The war office announcement today reads:

"There was lively artillery firing on our whole front. Our batteries shelled enemy camps in the Legarina valley, dispersed enemy detachments on the northern slopes of Monte Pausilio and at various points on the Caria front, and checked hostile fire in the Gorizia area and on the Carso."

"Yesterday our airplanes raided Chiapovano. They all returned safely, notwithstanding a heavy fire from enemy aircraft guns and several attacks by enemy machines."

## PLAYGROUND AND PARK VOTE FIGURES ALL IN

The playgrounds proposition carried by a majority of 2,706 and the park tax levy increase by 455 at the city election last Tuesday. Figures missing from two precincts were obtained by City Clerk Grommes last night. The total vote for the playgrounds was 5,076 and against 2,370. The total for the park tax was 4,147 and against 1,622.

## FINE WEATHER SUNDAY AND MONDAY, FORECAST

TO BE COOLER TONIGHT AND TOMORROW, EXPECTATION.

Chicago and vicinity.—Fair Sunday and probably Monday; cooler Sunday and Monday; Moderate winds, becoming northeast.

Illinois fair Sunday and probably Monday; warmer in south portion Sunday; cooler in northeast portion Monday.

"Zimmie"

SHOULD BE KEPT FOR HIM THESE DAYS

BANKS IN ONE DAY TAKE \$200,000,000

Administration Much Encouraged by Quick Subscription to First of War Loan.

Availability of Requests for New Treasury Certificates—Over-subscribed by 500.

(The International News Service.) Washington, April 21.—The administration was given much encouragement as to the prospects of success of the war financing today when the banks of the country by a flood of letters and telegrams, in one day over-subscribed the \$200,000,000 issue of treasury certificates placed on the market by Secretary McAdoo. Beginning last night applications for certificates came into the treasury and the avalanche continued thruout the day. By noon the issue was over-subscribed.

No longer are the banks to lend the government money, even at the low rate of three percent which is to be paid on the certificates that Secretary McAdoo is considering the advisability of increasing the amount of the present issue by about \$100,000,000. The treasury certificates are to be apportioned among the banks by federal reserve districts. The details of this allotment are now being worked out by the treasury department, no decision having been reached as to the exact procedure.

Secretary McAdoo is planning to call for the cash on the subscription to the certificate issue next Wednesday or Thursday.

Prof. Dean Wins

Prof. F. A. Dean, superintendent of school at Crystal Lake, in McHenry county, was the victor in the school election held there Saturday when a referendum vote was taken to determine whether Superintendent Dean should be retained at the head of the Crystal Lake schools.

The vote was: For retaining Dean, 418; against him, 107.

Superintendent Dean, who was formerly county superintendent of the Kane county schools, leaving in 1910 when succeeded by Supt. E. A. Ellis, resided at Elburn and served as principal of the schools there.

Superintendent Dean said that the opposition to him resulted because of the erection of a new school building, costing \$50,000, and the introduction of manual training and domestic science in the Crystal Lake schools.

A Crystal Lake resident bequeathed \$50,000 to the schools and this money was used to erect the new building. Some of the taxpayers opposed such alleged extravagance and declared that the \$50,000 should have been put in the general school fund so that the school tax could be reduced.

Enter Boys for Farms.

(The International News Service.) Kewanee, Ill., April 21.—A movement to enlist boys 14 to 19 on farms needing help in this vicinity was started today by Rotary club schools. Credit will be given all who begin a farm work before school year closes.

Learning from the mistakes of others is the only comfortable way of acquiring a practical education.

## SLAYER MUST HANG

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.) Springfield, Ill., April 21.—Governor Lowden today denied the petition for a commutation of sentence of Vincenzo Martellaro, who is to hang early next week at Joliet.

Martellaro was convicted of the murder of Antonio Cangini at Joliet, July 1, 1916. His attorneys left immediately for Joliet where the pardon board is in session to place the case before the board.

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## Wisdom Bids You Buy On Monday

(By MILTON E. WEIL, Manager of Weil's Specialty Shop)

Monday, the day to shop, has surely come into its own. Even those who seemed slow at first to recognize its money-saving opportunities no longer doubt the wisdom of "Bargain Day" purchasing.

Fluctuating markets slowly adapting themselves to meet the critical situation in which our country finds itself are expected to so gauge their supply that the tremendous demand placed upon them will be adequately filled. This the case, there will be a reaction to continued price advances, encouraging the merchandising here in Aurora.

In spite of unsettled economic conditions the relation of "Monday Bargain Day" to the rest of the week has long since been fixed. Large and immediate turnover of stock, decrease in price proportional to the increase in demand, and an ever growing volume have made permanent this weekly feature of retail chandlery here in Aurora.

More and more people are participating in the profits the merchants are sharing with them, wisely taking care of their personal and family needs at a time when their savings are sorely wanted while.

If you're one of the few who have stayed away and you must be convinced, come down town tomorrow, follow the crowds, and your better judgment will lead you to be in regular attendance thereafter.

## WOMEN AID GUARD AS LEGISLATURE FAILS

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.)

Denver, Colo., April 21.—Colorado's women voluntarily are paying a military poll tax.

This is one of the "bits" that the women are going to help their country prepare for war. The money received from the women's voluntary poll tax fund is being used to take care of the recruits to the National Guard of Colorado during the period which 25,000 are neither under state nor federal service. This situation has developed because the last legislature, known as the "Twilight Twenty-first," failed to provide funds for the national guardmen.

To CUT "DEADWOOD" IN EDUCATIONAL WORK

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.) Chicago, April 21.—Plans to modernize education by cutting out the "deadwood" in the scholastic system were made today at the annual convention of the North Central Academic association.

Officers were chosen as follows: President, Dr. J. H. McKenzie of Howe, Ind.; Vice President, C. W. Newhall, Fairbault, Minn.; Secretary, Major F. G. Burton of the Missouri Military Academy.

Trieweiler-Vollrath.

Bertha Vollrath and Nick Trieweiler were married at 7 o'clock last evening at the home of the bride's parents in George Avenue. The Rev. Charles J. Fricke of Emmanuel Lutheran church officiated.

The attendants were Miss Lena Hansen and Miss Mollison; a half sister of the groom. The double ring ceremony was used.

The bride wore white crepe de chine and carried a shower bouquet of roses and sweetpeas. The maid of honor was dressed in pink crepe de chine and carried pink roses. The bridesmaids wore pink and white.

The groom is employed by the Burlington railroad. The couple will make their home with the bride's parents at 655 George avenue.

## AURORA CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH MEET AT SANDWICH

The fifty-second annual meeting of the Aurora Association of Congregational churches will be held Tuesday in the Congregational church at Sandwich. The Rev. F. N. White, D. D., western secretary of the American Missionary association, is the principal speaker of the conference.

The Rev. A. R. Heaps of Aurora is also to be one of the speakers. Other speakers will be the Rev. R. W. Gammon, D. D., of Chicago, and the Rev. Miles' Fisher of California, both of whom will speak Tuesday afternoon.

The reports of the churches in the association will also be given at the meeting.

The officers of the association are: Moderator—The Rev. A. R. Randall, Naperville.

Assistant moderator—The Rev. A. R. Randall, Naperville.

Registrar and treasurer—J. M. Lewis, Bohonauk.

The churches in the association are those of Plainfield, Aurora, Sandwich, Yorkville, Shabbona, Holo, Naperville, Somonauk and Oswego. Each church is to be represented by its pastor and two delegates.

## NEGRO VETERANS TO FIGHT WITH "TEDDY"

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.) Denver, Colo., April 21.—Should Colonel Roosevelt be allowed to raise an army to fight in France, a brigade of Colorado negroes will be among the first to respond and offer themselves for service under his leadership.

V. H. Walker, "boss" of the Democratic negro voters in Denver, is forming a brigade from the ranks of Colorado negroes who served in the Philippines. Most of them are members of the famous Seventeenth, that saved the day at El Cmo.

SINGS "AMERICA" AT EVERY SERVICE

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.) Denver, Colo., April 21.—One church in Denver has been displaying its patriotism for months by singing "America" at the close of every one of its services, and it is a church whose congregation is composed mostly of citizens of English and German extraction.

This patriotic house of worship is Emmanuel Episcopal church. "It is really a prayer to the deity in the name of the nation," said the Rev. R. S. Gray, vicar of West Denver, commenting on the new hymn system.

The congregation, composed of persons who trace their ancestry to the two most hostile nations at war, never discuss the conflict.

## DES MOINES WATERWORKS GUARD IS FIRED ON

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.) Des Moines, Ia., April 21.—Guards at the Des Moines water works were doubled today when it was reported that one of the soldiers guarding the reservoir had been fired on shortly after midnight today. The guard returned the fire but the marauder escaped.

## MEN OF CHURCH PLEDGE MONEY

Workers of St. Joseph's Parish Promise Seven-year Fund to Build New Church.

The men of St. Joseph's Roman Catholic church, 608 High street, have pledged themselves to give one percent of their yearly earnings for the next seven years towards a fund for the erection of a new church building. It is planned to begin work on the new structure in the spring of 1924.

Under the plan adopted, the Rev. J. F. Schmitt, pastor of the church, believes that when work is started in the building there will be enough money in the fund to pay the entire cost without borrowing. When the new church is dedicated it will be entirely out of debt, the pastor believes.

In addition to the yearly donation of one percent, the people of the parish will continue to pay their share towards the usual expenses. The man who earns \$1,000 a year will pay \$10 of his wages towards the new building. At the end of the seven years he will have paid \$70.

St. Nicholas to Redeem. The people of St. Nicholas church, corner High and Liberty streets, have also started to raise money for remodeling and redecorating their church. The work will not be done until next year. In each home in the parish a small bank has been placed. Members of the families put their spare nickels, dimes and pennies in the banks and every month the finance committee will make a tour of the parish and collect the money.

It was announced last night by the Rev. P. J. Weber, pastor of St. Nicholas church, that plans are being considered for remodeling the parochial school during the summer vacation. A new roof will be put on the building, the rooms will be redecorated, new boilers will be installed and a playground, to be used by the children during the winter months, will be provided in the basement.

## OPEN FOOD PROBLEM HEARINGS ON MONDAY

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.) Washington, April 21.—Public hearing on food problems raised by the war will begin before the senate agriculture committee Monday with Secretary Houston, and other experts of the agricultural department appearing.

Administration bills to control the food situation, which have been approved by President Wilson and Secretary Houston, will be introduced early next week at Chairman Lever of the house agricultural committee.

Stimulation of production and control of distribution in such a manner as to prevent the making of exorbitant prices by speculators are expected to be provided for in the measures.

The legislation contemplated probably will involve fixing of prices, close regulation of cold storage plants, warehouses, packing establishments and possibly for the government taking over those institutions if necessary.

Colonel Fabyan adds that he wants all entrants in the contest to be his guests in Aurora on the day the prizes are awarded.

## HARLEY URGES ILLINOIS MAYORS ATTEND MEET

Mayor James E. Harley, as president of the League of Illinois Municipalities, has sent telegrams to mayors of 100 Illinois cities urging them to attend the meeting in Chicago April 27, to plan for an increased crop production and food conservation.

Mayor Harley said last night: "Mayor W. H. Thompson's call and the movement started by the Chicago Examiner for concerted action thruout Illinois to meet the present food situation, are too important to be ignored by any city official. The experience of the last winter, with its extreme high prices, proves necessity for this campaign."

FATHER CRUMBLY SPEAKS TODAY AT K. C. CLUB

The Rev. Peter A. Crumbly, O. F. M., of the east side school board for 15 years and president for 13 years, was re-elected yesterday afternoon. He did not have any opposition. Charles Stolp was given an complimentary vote for the office.

Following is the result of the election, the first four being elected.

For president: Judge M. O. Southward, 112.

For directors: Mrs. Addie K. Curry, 112; Dr. H. A. Brennecke, 112; Max Jeske, 112; W. F. Holt, 112.

For president: Mrs. Curry, Dr. Brennecke and Max Jeske were also elected. The names of the other two candidates also that of Mr. Stolp for president, were written in on the ballot.

## GIRL UKRAINIANS GET GENEROUS AID FROM AURORA

The Ukrainian girls in charge of the tag day in Aurora left for Chicago last night reporting themselves well satisfied with the showing made in the town. The tag day experts of the city thought that the girls could have made more money for their cause if they had been a little more experienced in their work. The girls were not using the death grip so familiar to the tags and it was almost a case of asking them for a tag in order to get one. The money was all dropped in sealed boxes which will be turned in to the headquarters of the War Relief committee of the Ukrainian federation of the United States.

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.) St. Paul, April 21.—Use of baseball parks, golf links and all green spaces for the production of war products was recommended by L. W. Hill, president of the Great Northern railroad, who returned today from California.

"They are not playing golf in Berlin nor spending the afternoon shooting at ball parks," he said.

J. F. Harrell, banker and coal merchant, who has been ill at his home in North Fourth street was reported improved yesterday.

## SIX SUGAR GROVE YOUNG MEN ENLIST IN ARMY

Six Sugar Grove young men enlisted in the army yesterday. They are Percy Booth, Lynn Rollins, Clarence Bolster, Lee Kouth, Harold Vickor and John Galar.

Mrs. Bartlett, Shearer of Rural street had a severe heart attack yesterday and her life was despaired of for some time. Later she rallied.

## WOMAN LOSES BATAVIA SCHOOL ELECTION VOTE

Dr. F. H. Daniels was elected president of the Batavia school board yesterday, and Dr. O. W. Hubbard and Andrew Barr were elected members, in a spirited election.

Mrs. Mary E. Mohr and A. E. Davis were candidates for places on the board and the name of Mr. F. H. Daniels was written in for president.

The vote:  
For president:  
Dr. F. H. Daniels, east side, 217; west side, 420. Total, 627.

Mrs. F. H. Daniels, east side, 10; west side, 2. Total, 12.

For members of board (two to be elected):  
Dr. O. W. Hubbard, east side, 139; west side, 380. Total, 519.

Andrew Barr, east side, 196; west side, 274. Total, 470.

A. E. Davis, east side, 105; west side, 117. Total, 222.

Mrs. Mary E. Mohr, east side, 146; west side, 265. Total, 413.

The vote for all candidates was:  
East side, 317; west side, 542. Total, 859.

## COL. FABY



## GOV. LOWDEN NAMES CABINET

Also Appoints Two Members of Utilities Commission, T. E. Dempsey, Fred E. Sterling.

## WHIPP FISCAL SUPERVISOR

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.) Springfield, Ill., April 21.—Governor Lowden completed his cabinet today in conformity with the new administrative code, consolidating the state government into nine departments with the exception of one department, that of labor.

In addition, he named a number of minor officers and two members of the utilities commission, T. E. Dempsey, of East St. Louis succeeds W. L. O'Connell, as chairman.

Following are the appointments made:

Department of registration and education—Francis W. Shephardson, Chicago, director.

Department of agricultural advisers—Alvin H. Sanders, Chicago; C. V. Gregory, Chicago; Eugene Davenport, Urbana; C. B. Butts, Charleston.

Eugene Funk, Bloomington; John M. Grebe, Carmi; J. T. Williams, Sterling; H. J. Seaton, Sikeston; W. S. Gibson, Whitehall; J. Frank Prather, Williamsville; J. P. Mason, Elgin; J. G. Imboden, Decatur; W. E. Taylor, Morris; J. C. Saylor, Champaign; Henry Davis, Springfield.

Charles Adkins, Bement, director.

Department of trade and commerce—J. S. Baldwin, Decatur, assistant director.

Thomas E. Dempsey, of St. Louis, public utility commissioner, chairman to take effect May 1.

Fred W. Potter, Albion, superintendent of insurance, to take effect May 1.

John G. Gamber, Ottawa, fire marshal to take effect June 1.

Department of public works and buildings—Henry H. Kohn, Anna, superintendent of purchases and supplies.

H. W. Williamson, Springfield, superintendent of printing to take effect forthwith.

Department of finance—Everett H. Tripp, Belvidere, assistant director of finance; Joseph C. Mason, Chicago, administrative auditor.

Department of public welfare—A. L. Bowen, Springfield, superintendent of charity.

Frank D. Whipp, Springfield, fiscal supervisor.

Department of mines and minerals—Evan D. John, Carbondale, director.

Martin Bolt, Springfield, assistant director.

Charles D. Adkins, secretary of agriculture, has been a farmer all his life. He was speaker of the Illinois house in the 1913 session.

College Man Registrar.

Francis Wayland Shephardson, who heads the department of registration and education is associate professor of American history at the University of Chicago, with which he has been connected since 1890.

Evan D. John, of Carbondale, director of mines and minerals, has been engaged in mining in Illinois for a

number of years as a miner and as an operator. He is now engaged as an inspector under temporary appointment by Governor Lowden.

Martin Bolt, of Springfield, who becomes assistant director of mines and minerals is secretary and treasurer of the Illinois miners' institute.

J. S. Baldwin, is an attorney and insurance man in Decatur.

Thomas E. Dempsey, has been connected with the office of the attorney general for 12 years. Fred E. Sterling, proprietor of the Rockford Register-Gazette and chairman of the state central committee.

Potter Holds Job.

F. W. Potter returns to his old job as superintendent of insurance which he filled for several years under Governor Deneen.

John G. Gamber, of Ottawa, who becomes fire marshal on June 1 served during the last term of the attorney general.

Everett H. Tripp, returns to the position of the president of the board of trustees of the Anna state hospital.

H. L. Williamson of Springfield, again becomes superintendent of printing, a position which he held under Governor Deneen.

Joseph C. Mason, was secretary and chief examiner of the civil service commission in the Deneen administration. He returned to Springfield with Governor Lowden, assuming the duties of institutional auditor.

A. L. Bowen, has been actively engaged in connection with the state charitable institutions for seven years.

Col. Frank D. Whipp, who is to take the position of fiscal supervisor, created and first held the office of department and institutional auditor under Governor Deneen. He has served eight years as fiscal supervisor and for a time as assistant secretary of the charities commission.

## DIVINITY STUDENT ENLISTS IN MARINES

Lancaster, Pa., April 21.—Practically what he preaches, Eugene W. Wahr, a divinity student, has answered the president's call for the cooperation of the clergyman of the country in the fight for democracy and human rights, by himself enlisting in the United States marine corps today.

Wahr told the recruiting officer, "After a long debate with myself, I have come to the conclusion that it is my Christian duty to give up my studies and enlist in our first line of defense."

This new "Soldier of the Sea" was formerly a senior at the Dickinson Theological seminary at Williamsport, Pa.

## STATE THANKS OWNERS FOR OFFERS OF FARMS

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.) Springfield, Ill., April 21.—As a result of the many offers from persons in Illinois to turn over their farms to the state or nation, Gov. Lowden issued a statement today in which he says it will be impossible for these agencies now to undertake the operation of farms.

The governor expresses appreciation to land owners for their tenders of acreage. "The state does not now need lands so much as it needs that owners and tenants co-operate to make the most of their lands themselves," he says.

## EARLY COLLAPSE OF GERMANY SEEN

Doom of Militarism Predicted and Exit of Turkey From Europe Assured.

This the Opinion of Speakers Heard at American Social Science Academy.

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.) Philadelphia, Pa., April 21.—The early collapse of German militarism was predicted by speakers at today's sessions of the annual meeting of the American Academy of Political and Social Science. Subjects for discussion under the general topic of "America's Relation to the World Conflict and to the Coming Peace," included "The Problems of a Durable Peace," "The Rights of Small Nations" and "America's Participation in a League for the Maintenance of a Just and Durable Peace."

The speakers included statesmen, scholars and journalists.

The death knell of German militarism was sounded when President Wilson and the American congress resolved to enter the war, according to Toyokichi Iyanaga, of New York, managing director of the "East and West" news bureau.

Sheer Madness to Arouse U. S.

"It was sheer madness," he said, "for Germany to arouse the sleeping giant of this hemisphere. There is no doubt now as to which side of the belligerents will be the final victor. The only question that arises is, how long will be the time before Germany collapses."

The problems of a durable peace between America and Japan, Mr. Iyanaga said, will not have received their definite and final solution until Japanese residing in this country receive full recognition of their equality with people of other nationalities. "Such recognition of equality, political and social," he added, "is denied to Japan so long as her subjects are discriminated against and cannot enjoy rights and privileges accorded to other aliens."

Charles Pegibler, of Decatur, Iowa, said the exit of Turkey from Europe

is now only a question of a short time.

Russian Problems.

"Russia," he said, "henceforth will be a democratically governed country. Thus remains unsolved only one major international problem involving the rights of small nations. The allied note to President Wilson demands the liberation of Italian, Slav, Roumanian and Czech-Slovak from foreign domination. The Czechs and Slovaks ask for the reconstruction of an independent Bohemian-Slovak state. At this a very serious diminution, or at least a very serious diminution, of Austria-Hungary."

The federalization of the Austro-Hungarian empire has become impracticable if not wholly impossible. The Austrian question is the Turkish problem in another form. To permit Austria to exist in any form when this war is concluded is merely to delay the solution of a problem that will never down; and in the life of nations, as well as individuals, delay and procrastination, the tendency to postpone a final decision, is a crime for which penalties are sure to follow. We have seen what this penalty is—a war devastating civilized countries."

Other Speakers.

Among others on the program for speeches today were: Talbot Williams, Columbia university; David Lawrence, Washington correspondent of the New York Evening Post; Theodore Marburg, formerly minister of the United States to Belgium, and George W. Wickham, New York, former attorney-general of the United States.

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## STAR SPANGLED BANNER WORDS BEING PRINTED

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.)

Chicago, April 21.—Chicago hotels and restaurants, in helping to foster patriotism in the city, will begin today to print verges of the Star

Spangled Banner and other patriotic songs on their bills of fare. The suggestion, made by a Chicago daily paper, met with instant approval on the part of all the large hotels and restaurants, with one exception.

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## VOTE BIGGER HIGH SCHOOL

Some Naive West Side Folk  
Seek Improvement Without  
Paying for It.

## WOMEN BARGAIN HUNTERS

The \$50,000 bond issue for the remodeling and enlarging of the west side high school carried at the school election yesterday 414 to 181. Forty-three naive voters—they were mostly women who apparently have a penchant for bargains—voted in favor of the high school addition but voted against paying for it. That is, they voted on record as favoring the improving of the school while voting against the issuing of the bonds.

The vote stood:  
For the improving of the building, 459  
Against, 181  
For the bond issue, 414  
Against, 181

Almost 150 votes at the election did not pass upon the bond issue at all, but were merely voted with for and against it. Inasmuch as the women voters were in the great majority at the election men voters got some solace in the fact that many ballots were not voted or were confusing. For it is to be stated, the women voters, as a rule, make fewer mistakes at the polls than her brother voter.

The high school work is to be started at an early date. The school is badly crowded now.

## HULBERT-JENKS

One of the home weddings of the spring was that of Miss Alice Margaret Jenks and Mr. Harold Hulbert of Detroit, Mich., which occurred Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Frank Herbert Jenks, 218 Benton street.

As it is probable that the doctor will very soon be sent to sea as a naval surgeon owing to war conditions, the wedding which was planned for the middle of May, took place yesterday in the presence of relatives and a few intimate friends of the bride and groom. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Charles J. Brady of the First Methodist church. Instead of the traditional white gown, which had been planned for the May wedding, the bride wore her going away gown of tan color. She carried a bouquet of roses.

There were quantities of pink flowers about the house, with a handsome chandelier of flowers upon the table in the dining room from which refreshments were served following the ceremony. Miss Maud Hulbert, sister of the groom, sang two songs, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. P. F. Hulbert.

Among those present were Mrs. P. F. Hulbert and daughter, Miss Maud Hulbert, of Oak Park, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Judd of Chicago, Roy Hulbert of Kenilworth, Mrs. A. L. Anderson and daughters Miss Anderson, Miss Mabel Anderson and Mrs. J. M. Brown of Elgin.

## SUPT. M'DOWELL'S AUTO STOLEN IN ISLAND AVE.

The automobile of Prof. S. K. McDowell, 71 North View street, superintendent of west side schools, was stolen from in front of Leath's store in Island avenue, last night at 8:45 o'clock. Two weeks ago the Ford machine of H. A. Lead, of Elgin, was stolen from in front of Sylvan, one block from the Leath store, has not been recovered.

Professor McDowell purchased the machine two weeks ago. It was a Ford. He went into the Leath store with Mrs. McDowell and left the machine standing at the curb in front of the entrance. When he came out it was gone.

The police were notified and they in turn notified the marshals in small towns surrounding Aurora.

## News in Brief

Shoes Never Sold—So fast, as during Reising's Absorption sale of Walk-Overs, now going on. Rare opportunities on the main floor and in the Subway.

Continue Bad Check Case.—George Larson, arrested one week ago yesterday on a charge of cashing bad checks on Archie Blakesley and Charles Hasset, saloonkeepers, failed to appear for his hearing yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. He telephoned his attorney that he had not been able to secure the money to make good the checks. The amount in all is \$60. The case was continued until tomorrow afternoon at the same hour. Larson is at liberty under \$1,000 bonds, signed by his brother.

Fred Mosher Not Insane.—Fred Mosher, 417 Woodlawn avenue, arrested Friday night on complaint of his wife, was discharged last night after he had been examined by a jury of physicians before County Judge Hoover. The charge against Mosher was insanity. The physicians recommended his release after the examination, saying that Mosher was of sound mind.

City Workers Want Half Holiday.—A resolution granting employees of the various city departments a half holiday on Saturdays during the summer months will be presented to the city council at the next meeting. It is the plan to start the half holiday the first Saturday in May. The same system was in force last summer.

Auto Arsones Neighborhood.—People residing in Main street, between West and Anderson streets, were mystified last night by an automobile left standing in front of the residence of J. N. Hurd, 217 Main street, from 6 o'clock until 9 o'clock. One woman called the police. Detective Holland was sent to the Hurd residence and found that the machine belonged to a Chicago man who was visiting in the neighborhood.

Rockton Pair Wed Here.—Francis William Goodell and Miss Mary Belle Phillips, both of Rockton, Ill., were married Saturday evening at 6:30 o'clock at the residence of the Rev. F. E. Brandt of Trinity Episcopal church.

The groom was one of the choir members at Christ church, Harvard, Ill., during the years that Mr. Brandt was rector of that church. He is at present residing at Beloit where the young people will make their home.

## PROF. SCOTT NEARING HERE

Prof. Scott Nearing of Toledo, Ohio, will deliver his famous address, "The Cost of Life," at 3 o'clock this afternoon at the People's church. The public are cordially invited.

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## BOY SCOUT PARADE BRILLIANT AFFAIR

With Fluttering Flags and Guidons and to Strains of Moosehart Band, Lads March.

Hundreds Appear in Uniforms as Opening Demonstration for \$10,000 Fund.

Bright with streaming flags and troop banners, the parade of Boy Scouts presented a sterling appearance as the boys wound thru the downtown streets yesterday afternoon. The Mooseheart boys band led the Scouts and the brilliantly dressed scout company of the Moose school stood out in gay contrast to the olive drab of the Scouts. Edward C. Bacon, national field scout commissioner, acted as marshal for the parade.

Order of March. Promptly at 3 o'clock the band struck up the march and the parade was on its way. The American flag and the scout fleur-de-lis banner in red and blue headed the parade. Then came the band and first troops of Scouts followed by the Mooseheart quaves and the fife and drum corps.

Then came more Scouts with a contingent of hopeful little fellows, bearing the banner, "Help Make Us Scouts," bringing in the rear.

The parade yesterday afternoon was the opening gun of the campaign to raise \$10,000 to be used as a three-year budget to put the Boy Scouts on a permanent basis in Aurora. The pastors of the city have been asked to observe Scout Sunday in their churches today. The team captains and the members of the teams who will be the major factor in the financial campaign will meet together with the council and Mr. Bacon at dinner in the headquarters at 50 South La Salle street, at 6 o'clock tomorrow evening.

Begin \$10,000 Campaign Tuesday. Tuesday morning the big drive to secure the necessary \$10,000 will be launched to continue three days, unless the money is raised before that time.

## Societies and Clubs

Monday. The St. Cecilia Musical club will meet Monday afternoon with Mrs. Ralph Shepherdson at 805 Garfield avenue.

Tuesday. Regular meeting St. Cecilia court No. 125 W. C. O. E. Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in St. Nicholas hall. Cards after meeting.

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## Social Chatter

For six days more—The success of last week's monster sale of nursery stock is responsible for its continuation on a larger scale than ever, at bargain prices.

Miss Ruth Higgins will leave this week for Grand Rapids, Mich., to visit friends.

Plant them now—trees and shrubs of every description. Buy them for less money than ever this week. Aurora Nurseries sale, continued for six more days. Entire stock reduced in price. Hide, fly or walk, but go out and investigate. It's worth everybody's while.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Kittell, who have been living in Aurora for the past winter, left today for Rochester, N. Y., where the former has accepted a position as superintendent of bridges for the O'Hagen and Clark company.

Do it tomorrow—Attend the big carnival-like sale of footwear. Tomorrow is the regular Monday Bargain day and the bargains of the town will be found at Reising's. Shop in the morning and as early as possible.

Lawrence Currier who is attending Illinois university, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Currier.

Mrs. Frank James is the week-end guest of Mrs. John Dineeney in Galea boulevard.

Miss Alice Ganser will attend the wedding of a sorority sister, Miss Myrtle Wilson at Moline, April 21.

## Obituary

George Stethes. George Stethes, 14 months old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stethes of Main street, Montgomery, died Friday afternoon from diphtheria. The funeral was held Saturday. Interment in Mt. Olivet cemetery, being strictly private.

Jackson Wright. The body of Jackson Wright was shipped Saturday at noon to Rushville and the funeral will be held there this afternoon.

Mrs. Nathan Morris. Mrs. Jane Morris, widow of the late Nathan Morris, passed away Saturday at 4:45 p. m. at her home 88 1/2 Plum street, after an illness of 10 weeks. She was born in Wales 53 years ago and lived in Aurora since 1911 when she came here from Big Rock. She leaves five children. The funeral services will be conducted from the late home Monday at 1 p. m. and from the Big Rock Congregational church at 2:30 o'clock, the interment being in the South Big Rock cemetery.

## DISTRICT PYTHIAN MEETING AT GENEVA

Knights of Pythias Gathering Is Planned to Be Held at County Seat April 26.

To Entertain State Officers in Aurora Next Thursday—Fred Shearer Delegate.

The Knights of Pythias' district convention for this territory will be held at Geneva Thursday, April 26. Grand Chancellor John J. Reave of Jacksonville, Grand Keeper of Records and Seal Harry Caldwell of Chicago, and Albert Douglas of Decatur, state deputy, will attend the convention, and they will attend the Joliet district convention next Wednesday.

The state officers will be entertained in Aurora next Thursday before they go to Geneva. Attorney T. J. Merrill announced. The visitors will be entertained at dinner at the Germania kitchen by some Aurora lodge brothers.

Shower Aurora Delegate. Attorney Fred Shearer has been elected delegate from the Aurora lodge to the Geneva convention. A matter of interest is that Grand Chancellor Reave is a brother of Orla Reave, member of the Geneva lodge. Grand Chancellor Richard Skoglund of the Geneva lodge announced that committees are at work preparing for the business session and entertainment.

Two matters to be considered, it was said, are the formation of a Kane County Pythian association and plans for campaigning for new members.

Mr. and Mrs. James Fletcher who have been residing at Elgin this winter will move to Wilmette May 1. Mrs. Fletcher was Miss Ruth Farwell.

Mrs. William Strickland of Flagg street who is ill with typhoid fever was reported improved yesterday.

Subtract from Her Troubles. Mother, with her host of duties in the successful management of the home, many times struggles under a load it's hard for her to bear, but all without complaint.

Her disposition is not the best, you wonder why. Her happy smile seems lost forever; she has too much to do.

Eliminate bake day, let Clean Shop supply you, and mother's frown of weariness will clear to ever-present good cheer.

From The Clean Shop Daily

Butter-Krust Bread is sold by leading dealers all over town and at our store.

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14 South Broadway

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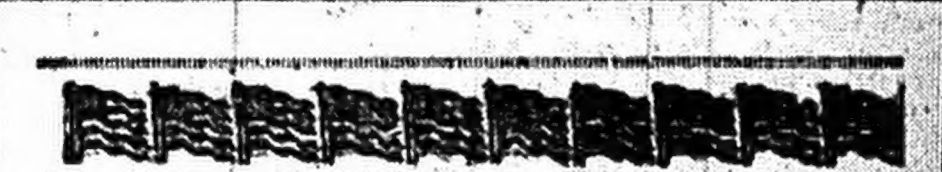
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Ladies Unionsuits 50c Values 39c  
Boys Pants \$1.00 Values 79c  
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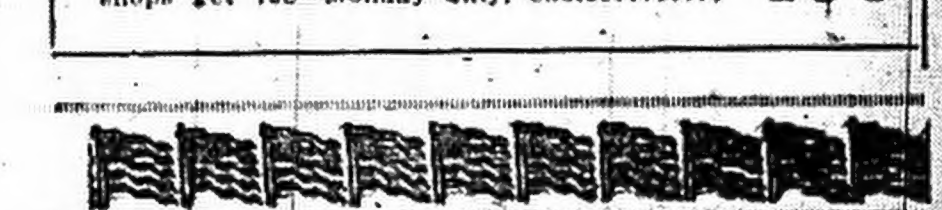
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MY "eighteens" and "twenties" are some value, that they have everything they like in Suits.

EVERY day now we're busy fitting young men and men who never grow old in these \$18 and \$20 Suits—yes, belted backs, half and all way around, in all the patterns you want to see.

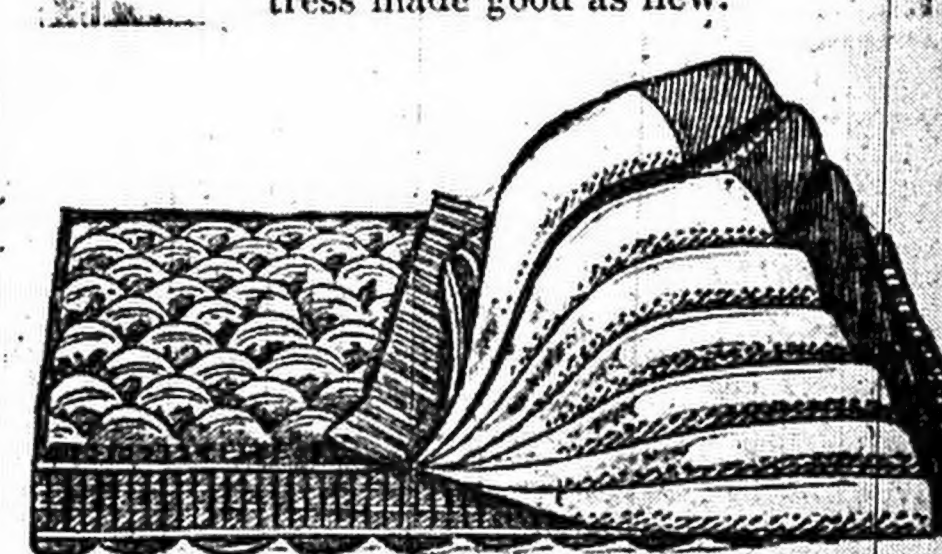
AS to quality and worthiness my conscience-guarantee is all the talk any man needs. Glad to show you tomorrow.

Monday—A Big Tie Special  
500 full shape flowing end four-in-hand Ties, 53 inches long, pure silks with the Slippery Band, regular 65c quality—and most shops get 75c—Monday only, choice..... 49c



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You spend one-third of your life in bed. Why not spend \$2.40 to have your Mattress made good as new.



Our regular price for renovating is \$3.00; but as a Monday special \$2.40. We remove and clean the cotton or hair and then re-make the same as when new. Compare our prices of new mattresses with others. We save you one profit which is about \$2 per mattress.

Cotton Top Mattress ..... \$3.75  
Combination Cotton (both sides) \$6.00  
All Cotton (felt) ..... \$9.00 to \$20.00  
"Denney Special" (our best special) \$18  
All Hair ..... \$30.00 to \$50.00

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Many a time you would have had your car washed if time had permitted. You can now get this service at night without losing its usefulness during business hours or when the family might enjoy it.

We have instituted this night service of washing cars for your convenience. The cost is no greater and the workmanship is skilled and painstaking. We are sure a trial will result in perfect satisfaction and frequent availment of this service.

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Coats. Another shipment of coats in all the latest style ideas in materials of Poplin, Velour, Serge and Gabardine, high waisted as well as regulation waist line. New colorings. Very unusual values at \$6.98 to \$37.50. Others ranging in price from.....

Suits. Many new ideas in tailored blue suits, both belted and plain, also silk suits both navy and black. A reduction in price on these beautiful suits should prove a treat to the economical buyer. \$14.75 to \$49.50. Ranging in price from.....

Dresses. Beautiful silk dresses, the very newest ideas, all the wanted shades, most models with Georgette Crepe sleeves. Specially priced at..... \$11.98 to \$29.75

Plaid Silk Skirts. In brown, green and blue plaids, new shirred mod. \$5.98. Anniversary Sale Price.....

Rain Coats. In cravenetted tweeds, brown or grey, suitable for street or auto. Anniversary Sale Price..... \$11.98

Silk Waists. Come in white, flesh or maize, crepe de chine. Also \$1.98 in stripe tub silk. Priced at.....



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25 SOUTH BROADWAY



\$25 Coats for Monday at \$18.98

The reductions in this offering constitute a far more potent appeal than anything we can say about them here. A half dozen or more styles in as many colors are at your disposal and we candidly believe that the values in this offering tomorrow will prove to be a revelation to the most critical inspection.

Get Your Coat Tomorrow Sure

## A Monday Sale of Street Hats

This includes our entire line of street hats in values up to six dollars. Best materials and trimmings. Your choice..... \$3.95

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## Aurora Society News

**Crocuses.**  
Last year, last month, last week.  
My patch of garden was bare.  
No glimmer of green or gleam of gold.  
Or sign of life was there;  
It was only this morning, early  
That sprang came by this way.  
And the gifts she leaves for a token  
Were only mine today.

At last this golden morning  
Stirred every patient wing.  
And down the shaft of a sunbeam,  
Gilded the gentle spring.  
—George Cottrell.

"The gifts" in the form of crocus blossoms are to be seen all over the town. The crocus is one of the bravest little flowers grown in the climate. All that is necessary is to punch a hole in the ground in the fall, drop in the little bulb, press it down and thereafter with the first spring days up come the grass-like foliage and the crocus blossoms. Many Aurora people plant them all over the lawn because by the time lawn cutting days come to pass, the blossom time of the crocus is past.

One of the shrub dealing companies in town has been holding a three-day sale, and judging from the number of people who have been coming from the nursery location with arms filled with little brown sticks, later to turn into leafy shrubs, Aurora will be one garden spot.

Aurora always was a little unique in that society leaders have always been addicted to digging in the soil—not only do they direct their gardeners, but they actually dig, and any one might have proved this during the past week by riding or walking past some of the handsome homes in town—for there they were—those women, hoe and spading fork in hand. The use of the spading fork is a new thing, but they broaden the nature at the same time—and, for that matter, a golf stock has a tendency to broaden the hand as any woman member of the Aurora Country club will admit.

There is a very lovely to the garden, for the better known to the population as an underground, lovely silvery pink, which cannot be raised from seed unless one has a hothouse, but can be purchased in small sized plants at present at greenhouse for a comparatively small sum. It is said the sort which Dr. O. G. Smith has raised so successfully for years at his home in Lincoln avenue, is not easy to secure this year. This also must be raised either in private hothouses, or purchased in plants from the greenhouse. It is a prolific bloomer and is extremely satisfactory, but is said this year not to be a "pure strain," that is, many plants have become mixed with other varieties. The Shasta daisy plants are said to have been killed out very generally by the past severe winter, but can be secured in tiny plants from the greenhouse. The daisy (dark purple), the hardy variety in many shades, has seemed to live thru the snow and ice, that is, has done so where well protected and is coming thru the ground. That beautiful flower they call the onion is flourishing also. One woman living in the northwest part of the city having spent a large part of the morning putting in "nets." It is Mrs. Ella Carlisle, former Aurora school teacher, former lover and club member who said once upon a time that there is something fascinating in just "watching things grow," and there is.

To Give "King Robert of Sicily."  
Mrs. T. J. Parker and Mrs. Frederick Wernicke, who have given so many excellent programs together during the past few years, will give "King Robert of Sicily" at the regular "at home" of Mrs. Parker, Pannell Bloomfield Zetser, the famous pianist, Wednesday evening of next week. The last Wednesday evening in each month is the regular "at home" date of Mrs. Zetser.

Entertains for Mrs. Goodwin.  
Mrs. Leo N. Goodwin, who has been visiting her sister, Miss Helen O'Meara, for some time, will return soon to her home in Billings, Mont. Friday she was the honor guest at a little luncheon given by Miss O'Meara, followed by bridge. High score was made by Miss John Wiley, Miss O'Meara entertains again Tuesday of next week.

Will We Meet Again.  
The theory that all bodies mutually attract was well demonstrated in the homecoming of the members of the F. G. Adamson and W. W. Stephens families Friday. In this case it also seemed to be the natural tendency of the integral parts of a business organization to unite, and while coming from the far corners of the earth, the two families representing the Stephens-Adamson company to their great surprise found themselves upon the same overland train.

Mr. and Mrs. Adamson and son, Clarence, have been in Hawaii for weeks, while Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Stephens and Miss Ruth Stephens have been spending the winter in California. Reservations upon the home train had been made at entirely different times, and the crowded train was run in several sections, but when comfortably settled, the two families found themselves in adjoining cars in the same section of the train, and therefore proceeded to enjoy the Grand Canyon together.

The Schoberleins at Home.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Schoberlein arrived home Saturday evening from their winter home at Daytona Beach, Florida.  
Mr. and Mrs. Page.  
Charles G. Page arrived home Friday after a winter in California. Mrs. Page stopped over in Nebraska and will visit in Iowa, coming home later.

To Address Woman's Club.  
Dr. George R. Scherger will address the Aurora Woman's club Tuesday afternoon of next week under the auspices to the home and education department. His subject will be "To and Your World." Dr. Scherger is strongly endorsed by Dr. William A. Colledge, who states that he considers him "the best educated man he knows." By the way, it is said that Mrs. Charles H. Talbot, of Marengo, president of the Eleventh district federation of clubs, may be present on that day.

The East Aurora Play.  
"Green Stockings," to be given by the senior class of East High school, will not be given as early as first thought, but has been postponed until May 4. It is

said that the change was made more thoughtfully by the East High faculty, owing to the fact that many of the young people greatly desired to attend the party to be given Friday evening, April 27, by Miss Katherine Walcott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Walcott, and it certainly must be admitted that dances are as scarce as hen's teeth.

"The Rose of Plymouth Town."  
The pretty little colonial play, "The Rose of Plymouth Town," will be given by the West High Junior class in West High auditorium next Wednesday afternoon at 8:30 o'clock and again in the evening at 8:15 o'clock. Tickets 15 cents for the children and 25 cents for the adults, will be good at either performance. Miss Lucia Goodwin, assisted by Mrs. T. J. Parker has worked this up into a really good little play.

Speaking of Plays.  
The man who "took" the picture of Walter S. Fraser Jr. in the costume of "Jane," which he plays in the Boston "Tech" play where he is a student, published in the Boston newspapers, was certainly an artist. The picture is labeled "The Man Vamp." Walter is posed in the throat of those of based shoulders, artistically arranged and luxuriant hair, essentially long eyes and beautiful profile of the most fascinating of vampires. The pose is, as said before, such as only an artist could secure and in that tilt of head there is a something which is a jump in the throat of those who remember pretty Clara Frawley, his mother, as she looked once upon a time in a picture taken in a certain yellow paper gown.

Made Good Sum Clear.  
The recent "movie"—"Little Shona," given at East High for the benefit of the new picture machine, netted \$22 clear—that is, after having paid for the machine and the film. This will be used in securing good films for the season.

O. T. F. Meeting.  
Mrs. Earl Calkins entertained the O. T. F. club Friday afternoon. There was bridge as usual, Miss Irene Ely having the honor. Luncheon was served. Mr. and Mrs. Calkins will leave about May 1 for their new home in Albany, which they are quite sure they will like very much, also to both. Particularly to Mrs. Calkins, who as Irene Conway, had and has a number of friends in Aurora. It will mean a decided change.

Men to Have Charge of Meeting.  
The next meeting of West High Parent-Teacher club is to be known as "men's night." The program, the refreshments and the entire affair to be in the hands of a committee consisting of R. A. Evans, chairman; Dr. O. B. Jones, secretary; Kenneth C. Morrill of West High; O. Peterson of Pennsylvania avenue; Frank Taylor of South Lake street; Wynn Mighell of View street and the croquet ground; and Charles Harrison of Garfield avenue and "Somewhere in Texas," and thus it can be seen that the entire ballcock is well represented. The date has not been set.

The Ruskin Class.  
A member of the "Ruskin Class," which is greatly enjoying meetings, sends in the following:  
"The funny thing about the Ruskin class is that it is not a Ruskin class at all, but a study class under the direction of Miss Harriet Waterhouse. The true class has been studying Ruskin the past year. Indeed, it has given five good months' study to him and appreciate what a mighty writer he was. He also true that the class is now studying George Bernard Shaw. Miss Waterhouse believes that most of a year's work should be given to a classic, closing the year with six weeks to two months' study of some living writer. As there is no writer so much discussed as Shaw, he is the writer being studied now. The professor to his days called forth much discussion that he quite worth while. For the class is made up of thinkers. Next year's study is to be upon literature bearing upon the history of Illinois. Indeed, in 1918 we reach the centennial of our entrance as a state into the union. At a recent meeting with Mrs. Clarence Cromer, it was suggested by one of the members to begin the study in September, a month earlier than usual, affording opportunity to visit historical places before the winter sets in. The class will be known hereafter as 'The Round Table,' for they do say they gather around the table in a most informal comradeship."

Yorkville Red Cross Work.  
The women of Yorkville have started off in most up-to-date fashion with their Red Cross Shop. Miss Louise Aldrich and Mrs. Sarah Fritz, who met with the Yorkville women recently, found them most comfortably situated and ready for work.

Much regret was expressed upon receipt of the news of the death of the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Dickson (Beatrice Beaupre), which occurred at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur M. Beaupre, in Chicago, from what was diagnosed as a malignant form of throat trouble. Mr. Beaupre and Mrs. M. Beaupre, the other son, are also ill, but are improving. Owing to the quarantine regulations, the funeral services were very quiet, and the boy will be laid away in one of the Chicago vaults awaiting receipt of news from his parents, from Rosario, Argentine, where his father is British consul. Mr. Dickson, who has been in the British consular service for years, naturally desired that his two young sons be educated in England, and with this in view, Mr. Dickson came on from Rosario with the boys last year and started for England, but reaching Quebec found war conditions so serious that she felt it

better to return and place the boys in the University school, Chicago, later herself returning to Rosario. Mr. and Mrs. Beaupre and Ebon Beaupre went into Chicago for the quiet services. The little boy, who was almost 12 years old, was born in Bogota, and owing largely to his experience during his father's official life, was of a maturity far in advance of his years.

The Jeat Initiation.  
One of the most pretentious affairs in the history of the four Women Forester lodges of Aurora was that at Knights of Columbus hall Friday evening, when a class of 80, the result of the conscientious work of late of Deputy Organizer Mrs. Katherine Conroy were added to the four courts, St. Catherine's, St. Cecilia, St. Stephen's and St. Ellen's.

St. Catherine's court being the oldest in point of organization, had charge of the initiation. Mrs. James Segers acted as chief ranger, with Mrs. Margaret Dunn vice chief. All four courts were well represented, and all participated in the enjoyable evening. Mrs. Philip Kaiser found that the 350 flags presented as favors, were distributed long before all the guests were admitted to the hall and it is believed that more than 400 were present. The guests of honor were Mrs. Katherine Dietrich, high treasurer; Mrs. Gallagher, high trustee; Mrs. Conroy, deputy organizer, all of whom talked in an interesting way. Mrs. Dietrich installed the large class, Mrs. J. B. Corcoran having charge of the drill team which did excellent work. Mrs. Mary Kealey and Miss Margaret Flannigan acted as conductors, handling the large class in a very good manner.

There was a good program, several clever dances being given in the prettiest of costumes by Misses Stewart, Dettorovich and Howard, while a song by Mr. Murphy was much enjoyed. Mrs. J. H. Poma gave a solo, and a violin and piano duet was furnished by Misses Madeline Connors and Florence McCullough. Piano numbers were given by Misses Katherine Waterhouse and Mary Michael and a piano solo by Miss Evelyn York. Mary Agnes Patterson gave an excellent reading. The hall was decorated handsomely in yellow and white, the colors of the order.

Ice cream and home made cake were served by a committee composed of members of all four courts, headed by Mrs. Michael Hackett and Mrs. Ann Flannigan. Mrs. Kemp of St. Stephen's court presented Mrs. Dietrich a token of remembrance, while Mrs. Kealey presented Mrs. Conroy a gift from all four courts in recognition of her fine work, saying that just as the members were learning to know and love her, she was leaving them. Mrs. Elnahy presented Mrs. Corcoran a gift for her fine work for the drill team.

The marriage of Miss Ida Chase, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Chase of Beach street, to Claude G. Stephens, engineer at the Aurora college, will take place this afternoon at 4 o'clock at the bride's home. The ceremony will be performed by the Rev. T. L. Stephens of the Claret Street Baptist church, who is a brother of the groom. His sister, Miss Ruth Stephens, will be the bride-maid, and Harry Chase, brother of the bride, will be best man. The bride's gown is white crepe de chine and she will wear a veil caught with lilies of the valley. Her flowers will be bride's roses. Miss Stephens will wear white voile over satin and will carry pink flowers. Miss Marian White will play the wedding march. The rooms have been prettily decorated in smilax and palms. Following the ceremony a wedding supper will be served to about twenty-five relatives. The bride and groom will leave in the evening for India to visit the groom's sister.

Annual Ministers' Banquet.  
The Aurora Ministerial alliance will hold the annual banquet in the parlors of the Y. W. C. A. Tuesday evening, May 1, at 6:30 o'clock. The wives of the ministers are invited. L. C. B. A. Benefit Party.  
The L. C. B. A. will give a card party Friday evening, April 27, in St. Nicholas hall for the benefit of the St. Nicholas church repair fund. Extensive improvements will be made on the school at the close of the term

including a dining room for the children.  
The three S Club composed of women employees of S. S. Beauchamp will give a penny carnival Monday evening at the T. W. C. A. to raise the \$25 pledge made during the recent white elephant campaign. There are to be any number of clever stunts and a fortune telling booth on the main floor with a "raider" entertainment in the auditorium. Some of the girls have been practicing for weeks for the 10-piece orchestra which will furnish rags music. There will also be many other attractive features all for the fun. The fun will begin at 7:30 o'clock and the "raider" is at 8:40 o'clock. Miss Lella Lamson is chairman of the committee in charge.

To Be Maid of Honor.  
Miss Margaret Wylie of South Lake street has gone to Topeka, Kan., where she will be maid of honor at the wedding of Miss Florence Mattingly to Carl Yeom which takes place Monday. The groom has a number of friends in Aurora.

M. Y. G. B. Club.  
Mrs. Katherine Collins entertained the M. Y. G. B. club at her home Friday afternoon. The guests brought their fancy work and sewed while a musical program was enjoyed. The next meeting will be in the form of a May party May 2.

North American Union.  
The North American union held a meeting Friday night and initiated a large class of new members. Mesdames Cassid and Albert Hellmuth and Messrs. Fred Haber and Leonard Shanderson won high honors at cards. Dances followed, featuring orchestra, furnishing the music. A number of guests were present from the Kewanee lodge.

Dinner Party.  
Miss Juliette Dunlop, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Dunlop of South Avenue, entertained a number of her girl friends at dinner party last evening. Later a number of games were played. The girls present were Suzanne Fowler, Dorothy George, Marion King, Elva Ramsey, Helen DeHart, Aileen Hooper and Irene Hankes.

## SUNDAY SWEETS

YOUR enjoyment of a Sunday afternoon stroll or drive may be increased by stopping at Mrs. Roberts' Candy Shop for a box of delicious home-made chocolates.

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## Warm Weather Suggestions



The warm days of the past week reminds one that their lingerie needs replenishing. We had you in mind months ago. So we can offer you a beautiful line of silk lingerie.

We call particular attention to the line of Kayser Silk Vests.

Beautiful Hand Embroidered Vests, with plain tape top, in flesh and pink, \$2.39.

Plain Top Vest, with ribbon strap, \$2.00.

Vests, jersey silk, flesh and white, \$1.75.

Union Suits, cool and comfortable, \$4.00.

We have the prettiest little Camisoles of jersey silk, with dainty lace or net top, a serviceable garment, \$1.00.

## Monday Specials

Black and White Fibre Silk Hose, 35c pair, 3 pairs for \$1.00.

Children's White Washable Kid Gloves, regular \$1.35. Monday at \$1.00.

White Chamisette 50c

Feather Boas, white and black, and all black. One-Half regular selling price.

\$1 Polly Prim Polish, 79c

Repairable in the proper care of furniture, pianos, automobiles, hardware floors, etc.; 50c size at 37c.

15c Red Seal Gingham, Yard, 11 1/2c

Plaid, checks, stripes and plain colors, good trustworthy colors, 27 inch wide; very specially priced here on Monday at only 11 1/2c.

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Excellent quality, 46 inches wide, a bargain now at 22c. Very specially priced for Monday, yard 15 1/2c.

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10c and 12 1/2c Women's Handkerchiefs, 6 1/2c

Superior quality linen handkerchiefs, with or without border, hemstitched edge, also lace edge; all have embroidered colored designs. Limit, 6 to a customer; Monday, at 6 1/2c.

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1 1/2 to 2 inches wide, 50 different patterns to choose from, all colors; suitable for use of light or heavy materials; specially priced here Monday, yard, 10c.

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## Bargains for Monday Shoppers

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Fine quality, all desirable plain colors including white and black, 40 inches wide, limit dress pattern, excellent value at 35c, Monday, yard 27c.

\$1 and \$1.25 Dress Silks, Yard, 79c

Taffetas, tulle, poplins and foulards, scores of handsome patterns in stripes, figures and flowers; 44 to 36 inches wide. Monday, yard, 79c.

\$1.75 Pure Linen Table Damask, \$1.39

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85c Aprons 59c

Made of good quality light or dark percale, trimmed in white, low neck, kimono sleeves, belt and one pocket, front button; sizes 36 to 44, only 59c.

\$1 Blouses 79c

Middy blouses in materials of poplins and galatas cloth, in various colored stripes and plain white, 3/4 or long sleeves, 10 styles; sizes 36 to 44, only \$1.00.

\$2.50 Waists \$1.98

Women's all silk crepe de chine waists, late styles, white or flesh, long sleeves; sizes 36 to 46; Monday, at only \$1.98.

Night Gowns at Special Sale Prices

Made of elegant materials, elaborate lace yokes, kimono sleeves; sizes 16 to 20; Monday only, regular \$1.98, 98c, \$1.50, \$1.25, \$1.00, regular \$1.75 value, \$1.25; regular \$2 value, \$1.25.

\$1.25 Rope Portieres at 79c

Chenille rope portieres for single doors, large fluffy cord, blue, green, red and brown; specially priced here on Monday at 79c.

\$3.50 Lace Curtains, Pair, \$1.98

Hobbinet lace curtains, plain centers, wide and narrow inserted border, lace edges 2 1/2 yards long, white or ecru; limit, 2 pair, special on Monday, pair, \$1.98.

\$2.50 Door Size Rugs, \$1.79

Handsome conventional border designs, plain centers, blue, brown, greens, old rose, etc.; size 36x72, Monday only \$1.79.

15c Hair Brushes, Only 8c

Good bristle hair brushes, finished in golden oak or mahogany, big bargain; very specially priced here, Monday, 8c.

\$1 Muslin Gowns at 69c

Women's muslin night gowns, embroidery trimmings, sizes 16 to 20, full cut; limit, 2; regular \$1 value, at 69c.

\$5 Women's Blouses at \$1.98

Crepe de chine in colors of navy, Belgian blue, Russian green and black; sizes 36 to 44; Monday, at \$1.98.

\$5 Georgette Waists, Cream or Flesh, \$3.50

Good, heavy quality, tile, matting and hardwood floor designs, two yards wide; 65c value, square yard 49c.

65c Linoleum, Sq. Yard, 49c

Good, heavy quality, tile, matting and hardwood floor designs, two yards wide; 65c value, square yard 49c.

\$1.25 Men's Union Suits, 97c

Fine ribbed cotton, white, short sleeves, 3/4-length, sizes 36 to 48; specially priced here on Monday, 97c.

\$1.50 White Ivory Powder Boxes

Highly polished, 3 inches high, 4 inches in diameter; Monday, at \$1.

10c Coat Hangers at 6 1/2c

Combination coat, skirt or trouser hanger, two styles, specially priced on Monday, at only 6 1/2c.

\$1.75 Carpet Lengths at \$1.19

Sample line of Brussels carpet lengths, 4 feet long, good selection of designs and colors; specially priced Monday, at \$1.19.

35c Cretones, Yard at 27c

Beautiful new flower designs and colorings, pink, blue and yellow, suitable for bedroom curtains, specially priced Monday, yard, 27c.

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## ASK LEGAL LIFE FOR THIS MAN

He is Legally Dead but Injunction Against Recognition is Sought.

### INSURANCE FIGHT BASIS

George Binder of Earlville, who is dead in the eyes of the law may legally live again if a Kane county circuit judge maintains a unique prayer, a petition for the recognition of the legal decree that Binder is dead by reason of not having been missing for seven years. The application for the injunction was filed by Atty. Frank Joslyn of Elgin who represents the Modern Woodmen fraternal insurance society. The defendants are Mrs. Binder, the "widow" of the legally dead man, George Binder; Atty. John Murphy and E. L. Lytle, Mrs. Binder's counsel. Sheriff Beebe Richardson who would serve the "legally dead" papers and Circuit Clerk Justus Johnson who would prepare them. The petition for the injunction is filed in the name of E. B. Robinson of Earlville who saw Binder last December at Okmulgee, Oklahoma.

The Modern Woodmen quoting the mortality table of the National Fraternal congress claim that Binder should be alive, because his life expectancy began in 1905.

The Binder family resided in Earlville. Binder joined the Woodmen in 1905. He went from Earlville to Oklahoma in 1905 with the intention of taking land there. He wrote at times to his wife and sent money to her. The last letter received by Mrs. Binder was on Christmas morning, 1905.

Efforts to locate Binder were made but without success. Atty. Edward Lyon made a trip and searched for Binder but said he failed to get any close.

Mrs. Binder paid the insurance premiums and after seven years made application for the insurance money, \$5,000.

The case was heard at Geneva. A jury was sworn Judge Slusser declared Binder legally dead and ordered a judgment entered in behalf of Mrs. Binder against the Woodmen for \$5,462.50. The judgment was entered Jan. 13, 1917. The Woodmen appealed and forgot to file their brief in the appellate court and the appellate court April 11, last, dismissed the appeal.

Would Hold Up Payment.

The purpose of the petition for the injunction is to restrain the defendants named from attempting to get an execution on the judgment against the insurance company.

### PRIESTS ASKING MULDOON REMAIN

Pastors of Catholic Churches of Rockford District Sign and Mail Petition.

Plea to Apostolic Delegate at Washington Urges Bishop Continue Work Here.

The priests of the Rockford diocese of the Roman Catholic church, of which Aurora is a part, have signed and mailed a petition to apostolic delegates at Washington, D. C., asking that the Rt. Rev. Peter J. Muldoon, bishop of the diocese, be allowed to remain in Chicago. Muldoon was recently notified by Rome of his appointment as bishop of Los Angeles.

"Priests of the diocese signed the petition because we believe Bishop Muldoon too good a man to lose," the Rev. P. J. Weber, irremovable rector of St. Nicholas church, said last night. "Of course we do not know what action will be taken but we do not want to lose our bishop."

Successor Not Named.

While the transfer of Bishop Muldoon was announced several weeks ago, his successor has not been appointed. The bishop of Illinois was to meet in Chicago after Easter to select three names to be sent to Rome as candidates. Irremovable rectors and Vicar General Bennett of the diocese sent in names of candidates two months ago. Whether the meeting of the bishops has been held could not be learned here last night.

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### Society Notes

**Organize Patriotic Club.**  
The Patriotic club of Sugar Grove was organized last evening at an enthusiastic meeting in the school hall. A pledge of allegiance to the United States was signed by those attending the meeting. W. W. Wilson presided and patriotic talks were given by Professor Foley, Elmer Shepard, Mrs. Joseph Doty, James Vicker and P. M. Waite of Maple Park. A band from Maple Park played national airs. Mr. Wilson spoke in regard to the two Sugar Grove boys who are in the army, Harold Vicker and John Galor. Attend House Party.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Gillette and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Blair, Mr. and Mrs. Harold A. Wood, Miss Edith Moore and George Gill are attending a week-end house party given by Mr. and Mrs. William Ellis of Chicago.

Rev. and Mrs. Beardsley Here.  
The Rev. and Mrs. Frank Beardsley of Keokuk, Ia., arrived in Aurora yesterday and are being entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Walters. Reverend Beardsley has accepted a call from the First Congregational church and preaches this morning and again this evening. At 5 o'clock the pastor will serve a service will be repeated by Mr. Beardsley and wife remain in Aurora for several days to select a house. Owing to important matters at his church in Keokuk, Mr. Beardsley will be unable to take up the work here until June 1.

Will Serve Dinners.  
The East High school class in cooking are planning a new adventure this spring, that of serving dinners to parties of 10 or 12 people and will be pleased to receive orders for any Monday, Wednesday or Thursday during the month of May, the luncheon or dinner to be served in the dining room at lower high. The girls will figure on the menu submitted or submit menu themselves. Orders may be given to Miss Elizabeth Balmer, domestic science instructor, who would like a week's notice. Her telephone number is 512-2.

So long have the women of Aurora associated Mrs. L. B. Kinney and Miss Frances Lightcap with the west side that it is with surprise that it is learned that they will become tenants of the remodeled Lincoln building in downtown Aurora.

The building is to become one of the few Aurora office structures with elevator service, and Mrs. Kinney will have two front rooms directly over the John Holsting store, while Miss Lightcap will have well arranged rooms fronting on River street. Mrs. Kinney is also to take a room fronting Downer place. L. B. Frasier is arranging an up-to-date entrance, paneled in marble. The change from the east side will be made about June 1.

Hospital Workers Have Luncheon.  
The workers in the Aurora hospital campaign to luncheon together in the dining room of the hospital yesterday noon and were given instructions in regard to the work by C. W. Lee of New York, assistant manager of the campaign. N. M. Hutcheson, president of the hospital board gave a talk on the needs of the hospital. P. G. Adams is the general chairman. The workers have been divided into four teams as follows: Mrs. George E. Brown, division chairman; Mrs. Carolyn McWeathy, Mrs. Frank B. Watson, Mrs. Joy Love, Mrs. J. H. Rillas and Mrs. Marian Anderson, captains; Mrs. W. C. Evans, division chairman; Mrs. D. D. Culver, Mrs. L. P. Dieterich, Mrs. M. C. Chapman and Mrs. Katherine Lindsay; Mrs. E. D. Terry division chairman; Mrs. A. G. Lohrer, Mrs. Elmina Stolp, Mrs. Sylvia Morgan, Mrs. J. E. Harley and Mrs. Charles Anderson, captains; Mrs. P. Wade, division chairman; Mrs. T. J. Mahaffey, Mrs. Elliott Pritchard, Mrs. Iva C. Reiden, Mrs. J. T. Mason and Miss Nettie Jordan. Four workers will be appointed under each captain.

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## SUIT FOR OSWEGO PROPERTY ENDED

Judge Slusser Decides Old Dr. Vandeventer Property is Rightly Nephew Fred's.

Nephew Harry Vandeventer of Indiana Had Put in Claim—His Name on Deeds.

Judge Maxine Slusser, in the circuit court at Yorkville yesterday afternoon, decided the suit of Fred K. and Harry Vandeventer for ownership of the homestead of the late Dr. A. C. Vandeventer of Oswego. The court handed down a decision finding Fred K. Vandeventer of Teriton, Okla., the owner.

In July, 1914, Dr. Vandeventer wrote a letter to Fred K. Vandeventer, his grand-nephew, asking him to move from his home in Indiana to the doctor's home in Oswego. He promised in the letter that if the grand-nephew would come he would deed over to him his nine-room home and two other Oswego houses which he owned. The grand-nephew moved to Oswego and went to live with Dr. Vandeventer. He promised in the letter that if the grand-nephew would come he would deed over to him his nine-room home and two other Oswego houses which he owned. The grand-nephew moved to Oswego and went to live with Dr. Vandeventer.

Four months later Dr. Vandeventer had deeds made out turning over the three houses and lots to his grand-nephew. The latter put them away. After the physician's death it was discovered that while the name Fred K. Vandeventer appeared on the deed, the name of Harry Vandeventer, a nephew, residing in Indiana, was used in the body of the deed. The name of the Oklahoma grand-nephew had been written on a small slip of paper by Dr. Vandeventer and the paper was pasted over the name of the Indiana nephew on the outside of the deed.

Both Hire Lawyers.  
The grand-nephew refused to move out of the homestead and retained Atty. Fred Shearer. The Indiana nephew retained Atty. Oliver Burkhardt of Oswego and Attorneys Mitchell, Gunnul & Allen and the case was taken into the city court. Letters were produced by the Oklahoma man showing where Dr. Vandeventer had agreed to give the grand-nephew the homestead if he would move to Oswego. Judge Slusser decided that the letters were the same as a contract agreement and that the fact that the name of the Oklahoma man had been placed on the deed was proof that Dr. Vandeventer meant to carry out his part of the contract.

DEBATE FREIGHT RATES  
[By Associated Press Leased Wire.]  
Washington, D. C., April 21.—Freight rates increased being asked by the railroads were debated today in the senate, with charges that they were "a serious menace to the nation's business."

A resolution by Senator Smith of Georgia, by which the senate was asked to direct its interstate commerce committee to make an investigation separate from that being conducted by the interstate commerce commission, finally was sent to the committee itself for report.

Senator Smith said he had "startling facts" to show that the railroads had a whole new 7 per cent annually on their book value, paid to be much less than actual investments and that the 15 per cent increase apparently proposes an additional rate burden of \$400,000,000 annually.

PROPOSES WILD GAME AS WAR TIME ASSET  
[By Associated Press Leased Wire.]  
Denver, Colo., April 21.—W. B. Fraser, state fish and game warden, has presented to the state war council plans whereby the number of fish and amount of game in the state will be increased materially. The plans, which it is believed will be adopted at once, will increase the stock in the state game preserves so that it will be no negligible factor if other food resources of the state are drawn on too heavily.

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## News in Brief

Dr. L. W. Howard—Eye, ear, nose and throat. Coulter block.

Memorial for John Fitzgerald.—Memorial services for the late, Atty. John Fitzgerald of Oswego, were held in the circuit court at Yorkville late yesterday afternoon. The memorial address was given by Atty. Benjamin P. Harrington of Yorkville. Attorney Fitzgerald, who died three weeks ago, was admitted to the bar in 1883 and was one of the oldest attorneys in Kendall county.

We Have—A beautiful new line of spring mountings, Murray & Earle, photographers.

Two Divorces Granted.—Two divorces decreed, granted by Judge E. M. Mangan in the Aurora city court. Mrs. Anna Gates was given a decree from Tracey Gates and Elmer Smith from Mrs. Maude Smith. Testimony in both cases was heard several weeks ago and the charge in each case was desertion. After granting the decrees Judge Mangan adjourned court until Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

"Full Assurance of Faith"—Will be the subject of a lecture by T. O. McKay of Chicago in L. B. S. A. temple (LaSalle and Clark streets) Sunday, April 22, at 3 p. m. Seats free, no collection. You are invited.

Start, Plowing Tomorrow.—The city plowman will start out tomorrow morning, if the weather is favorable. It has been announced by Superintendent of Streets Dugell. A large number of applications for the free plowing have been received at the office of City Clerk Grommes. Plowing will be done free for schools and churches and for families too poor to hire a man to do the work.

Another Treat.—Beginning today and scheduled for the balance of this week, another six days' sale of shrubs and trees, including the entire stock of Aurora Nurseries at wholesale prices.

The Reputation—Of Aurora Nurseries in quality in trees and shrubs reaches far and wide. You now have the opportunity to buy this splendid home grown stock at retail, for prices that represent less than the cost to regular wholesale customers.

Revising Water Ordinance.—The city ordinance regulating the water department is being revised by the board of public works and will in all probability be presented to the city council at the next regular meeting. No changes will be made in the water rates. As work on the revision of the ordinance has not been completed, the nature of the changes could not be learned last night.

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## TO HEAR SCHOOL APPEALS TUESDAY

Testimony on Opposed Consolidations to Be Heard by Supt. Ellis.

Co. Supt. of Schools E. A. Ellis of Aurora will sit as a judge Tuesday, hearing testimony in two appeals taken to him in actions pertaining to proposed or solicited consolidations of schools of rural districts of Kane county. The decision of the county superintendent will be final, it is said. One matter to be heard in the morning is that growing out of the plan to have some schools of Campton and Virgil townships consolidated.

Petitions asking for the consolidation of all of Districts Nos. 73 and 74 of Campton township and portions of school Districts Nos. 73, 81 and 84 of Virgil township were circulated, and after enough signatures were got, the petitions were presented to the school boards. The Virgil board rejected this petition.

The Virgil board at the meeting at which the petition mentioned was rejected, accepted another petition asking for a consolidation of school districts Nos. 71, 72, 81, 82 and 83 of Virgil township.

The hearing in the afternoon will be on objections to the action of the Campton school board in granting a withdrawal permit to a portion of district No. 75 and placing it with the consolidated school of Wasco.

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## SMITH DISCUSSES SOCIETY MERGER

**Declares Stars of Equity Was  
Not Sold but Voted to Join  
North American Union.**

**Fraternity Insurance Man Thinks That  
"The Union" Received the Con-  
fidence of the A. S. E."**

Arthur M. Smith, of Chicago, formerly secretary of the American Stars of Equity with headquarters at Freeport and at one time a resident of Aurora, in a statement yesterday declared he did not want any one to think that the Stars of Equity society was sold to the North American Union. Mr. Smith said: "In view of the fact that I devoted 16 years of my life to fraternal insurance matters, I have condemned and opposed any kind of a merger of insurance societies without the matter first being submitted to a referendum vote of the members and the American Stars of Equity society was merged with the N. A. U. thru a vote of the individual members and by one dollar or more was received by any of the officers of the A. S. E."

"I will say that the amalgamation of the A. S. E. and N. A. U. established a precedent, in that there was no commission or other consideration paid to officers."

"The N. A. U. betrayed our confidence and I have been actively hoping for a receiver and sincerely hope that every officer who received a nickel or more in this reprehensible deal will pay the penalty. I believe in placing the power of legislation directly in the hands of the membership thru the initiative, referendum and recall."

"I severed my connection with the N. A. U. as soon as I found they were going into the general merger business for selfish gain. I have opposed this commercializing of fraternal insurance the last 10 years and I am fighting against it day and night, at the present time."

"Sacrificing the protection of members, at a cost within their ability to pay, on the altar of avarice, greed and selfishness, is no great crime and taking their deposits from banks and letting them go to a dollar."

"I am sensitive on the subject for the reason that I do not believe that an officer who will deliberately conspire to wreck their society thru amalgamation for profit, are any better than the man wearing stripes, having been convicted for embezzlement."

"I consider the selling of a fraternal society a crime and will do all in my power to prosecute it."

### OSWEGO

Oswego, Ill., April 21.—Victor Mather has returned to Oswego after spending some time at DeKalb.

Mrs. William McDaniels has gone to Iowa, where she will visit for a time.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Vaughan entertained at dinner Sunday in honor of their third wedding anniversary. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bailey and Mr. Fred, and Mr. and Mrs. Merrill of Hinsdale, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cherry and family of Na-Au-Say.

George Woolley is driving a new touring car.

A number of Oswego people heard the Chicago symphony orchestra at Aurora Monday.

Miss Nellie Armstrong of Chicago was a visitor Tuesday among Oswego friends.

Mrs. H. B. Read has been confined to her home by illness.

Mrs. A. E. Seely of Chicago has been visiting among Oswego friends during the past week.

Mrs. Margaret Young is ill at her home, having recently suffered a stroke of paralysis.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Vornaley and family have moved to the house owned by Mrs. Henrietta Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. John Van Ault and Mrs. Mary Shoger attended the funeral of a niece in Livingston county Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schart returned home Monday after enjoying a trip to California.

Miss Elsie Schubert is now employed in the Aurora office of the Chicago Telephone company.

Mrs. Caroline Knapp has moved to her former home near the depot.

Mr. and Mrs. Parkhurst and son, A. J., have returned home after spending the winter months in Florida. Mrs. Parkhurst and son made the trip in their auto.

Dorothy, the 12-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phil Clausen, died Sunday afternoon at the home of her parents after a short illness from pneumonia. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon from the home and interment was in the Oswego cemetery.

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of pleasing and dignified mode. Their  
contour and noticeable earmarks  
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clothes beautiful.

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Is an Art  
Metropolitan Block  
On the Island

## This Is the Bride of Archie Roosevelt



MISS GRACE E. LOCKWOOD

Miss Grace E. Lockwood, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. St. John Lockwood of Boston, whose marriage to Archie Roosevelt, third son of the former president, took place last week. Miss Lockwood is a graduate of Miss Windsor's school, an exclusive Back Bay institution, and was presented to society in 1912. Mr. Roosevelt is a Harvard graduate and is now in Hartford, Conn., employed by the Bigelow Hartford Carpet company.

## ARMOUR IN APPEAL TO MEN FOR LOYALTY

**House Organ Sent Out by Chicago  
Packer Contains Copy  
of Business Watchword.**

**This the Time Above All Others for  
Constructive Patriotism.**  
He says.

The chief feature of the Armour Magazine, a house organ sent to all salesmen of the Armour organization, is a strong appeal by the head of the house, J. Ogden Armour, to be loyal and patriotic in the present crisis.

The appeal with a border of red, white and blue and two flags in colors is prominently displayed on the outside cover of the magazine. It reads:

"Loyalty is a watchword to all salesmen of the Armour organization, and we are all proud of the fact that every Armour man knows its meaning."

"In this present hour of crisis, we are called upon to show our colors. May that same magnificent spirit of loyalty which binds us together as Armour men, unify our sentiments of patriotism and make us, as one man, true to the country whose liberties we enjoy."

"This is the time above all others for constructive patriotism, for sane thinking and for united purpose. It is not the time for disparagement or criticism which may hinder, in any way, the efforts of our federal government to solve the problems which rest so heavily upon us."

"It is the supreme occasion when we should forget party, race and all other considerations, and be first and last, Americans."

"Knowing as I do, with great pride, the spirit of loyalty that prevails in the Armour organization, I call upon it, with confidence, asking that it may be expressed in full and equal measure in behalf of our United States of America."

"J. OGDEN ARMOUR"

**Clearing House Report.**

(By Associated Press. Licensed Wire.)  
New York, April 21.—The statement of the actual conditions of clearing house banks and trust companies for the week shows that they held \$120,889,200 reserve in excess of legal requirements. This is a decrease of \$7,920,400 from last week.

## GREAT OUTDOORS AIDS BOY MORALS

**Nature's Great Spaces Best  
Builder of Character as Exemplified  
in Boy Scout Work.**

**SAYS THE FIELD OFFICER**

**National Commissioner Bacon, Here  
Leading \$10,000 Campaign,  
Tells of Work.**

(By Edward C. Bacon, National Field  
Boy Scout Commissioner.)

How many parents and teachers realize just how much influence the great outdoor life has on the adolescent boy? How many realize by making it possible for your boys to get out into the open and under the great dome of the heavens that you are starting the wheels of a vast impulse that revolves one within the other in all its many intricate ways that brings out the best thoughts and deeds. To nearly all boys, the woods, lakes and rivers are fairly bursting with their secrets, it's a one continuous pleasure and wonder they hold. Every tree may be a valued bee-hive; every old overturned tree mound may hold treasures of the old Indian days. Their thoughts will go rollicking back to the past aborigines, who camped, hunted and trailed to and fro. He'll think of the old trappers of history and legends and the pioneers. Why? Because they have been on this very spot, and a thrill will go thru him. There is an enchantment in it all that keeps his mind racing from one thing to another. He will give his imagination full play, and perhaps one minute he is the crafty Indian on the outlook for game or scalps; then another time he is the first white man with many added perils, and again he is the early explorer, and thru it all, everything takes on new color, new worth. It gets his imagination busy.

**Camp Life Ideal.**

In speaking of the great outdoors, the woods, etc., I wonder how many of my readers have camped in the open. To those who have not, let me describe it to you as best I can. In all its majesty, a camp pitched on the banks of the deep woods; with the early dawn you awake and with what sights and sounds; the sky shaded with the early gray turning, with a faint pink flush, that tells one that old "sol" is on the way. This pink slowly unfolds until it becomes a beautiful golden red. With all these beautiful changes the birds of the deep woods are fairly splitting their throats with songs of ecstasy and joy (for it surely is good to be alive). It's an orchestra that resounds with thrills and crescendos, scales of such melody of sweetness all attuned to the thoughts of life, love and happiness. After a day full of swimming, fishing, roaming thru the woods, eating and laughing, that one can help but learn we turn in and lights out, as we lie there we glance thru tree tops at the stars shining so bright, and one cannot help but think of Longfellow's beautiful words:

"Silently one by one, in the infinite meadows of heaven  
Blossom the lovely stars, the forgotten notes of the angels."

We hear the sleepy whisperings of our little winged brothers of the woods as they tangle in the branches overhead. We also hear the night birds as they fly about, perhaps they startle us with some of their talk, but we soon learn them and their ways.

**Warnings in Leaves.**  
Twigs and leaves may softly give us warning that some animal is lurking to know who we are. Now and then we hear a faint splash as some mouse, mink or muskrat forages in the water, and perhaps far away we hear the terrifying scream of the loon as it is awakened by some bright raider. As these woody sounds come and go, one's thoughts will turn to home and dear ones. New thoughts, new resolves come to us—it is that psychological moment that an all-wise Creator takes and directs dear old Mother Nature to take your boy and mine, and lead him, unknowingly into the ways that create within them that desire to do and to be all that stands for goodness and manhood. There is some great internal moral force that works this all out, the elements are combined with such nicety that it molds our boys, with the aid of scouting with its many sided lessons into men who are fit to take our place in the business and plan our civic problems or come, and on the battlefield (if needed). That's why

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Six Broadway. Aurora.

the founders of scouting have their camps, have their study of the stars, trees, flowers and wild life. It is one of the cogs in the wheels that are ever revolving that turn out our boys to the mainstays of the future and 100 per cent efficiency.

Is Great Work.  
It surely is great work this Boy Scout stuff, and doesn't it get right under your hides, you boys of 25 to 75? Doesn't this talk of the woods, and camp bring back memories of the "shanties" and the "old swimming holes" of days gone by? You just see it does, and as I said before, there is a certain wonderful moral force that fairly grips the boys and holds him with bands of iron that have been wrought by hands greater than ours for it holds him in the very pathway that leads to the love of home and parents, to reverence and love of country—to honor and fame. He is prepared.

### MAPLE PARK

Maple Park, Ill., April 20.—Mathew Conlon of Aurora was a caller here Wednesday.

Kathryn Simons was here Tuesday.

Mrs. Frank Acos visited here Wednesday.

James Simons of Chicago was here Tuesday.

Michael Moore of Chicago spent Tuesday here.

Paul Keenan has accepted a position in Kanawha.

G. E. Green and wife motored to Wyanett, Wednesday.

Thomas Holleran of Sycamore is visiting here this week.

Chris Christenson of Aurora was a business caller here Wednesday.

Mrs. B. A. Cheney and sons of DeKalb, are visiting here this week.

Mrs. Mary Cline of Chicago is the guest of her son, Joseph Cline, this week.

Tuesday's election proved a victory in favor of the wet. The returns were 111 dry and 123 wet votes.

Another case of diphtheria was reported yesterday. Julia Cleary, telephone operator, being the latest victim.

### BRISTOL

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ellsworth of Aurora spent one day last week at the Joe Eccles home.

Miss Mabel Hession of Aurora spent the week-end at her aunt's.

Miss Louise Patterson is suffering from a severe attack of tonsillitis at her home near Plano.

Theodore Abens and family of Batavia called on his mother, Mrs. Mary Abens, Sunday afternoon.

Miss Catherine Sorenson spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. William Jessup of Na-Au-Say.

## RULING IN DEKALB CASE LIQUOR GUIDE

**Illinois Supreme Court Again  
Holds Man May Get Drink  
for His Own Use.**

"Liquor may be used in an orderly way, in dry townships," the Illinois supreme court has ruled.

The city of Marion, which is within dry territory attempted to enforce the provisions of a city ordinance with powers not granted by state law when the city caused the arrest of a man, on the ground that Crilo violated the city's ordinance which provided that a record be kept of all intoxicating liquors delivered in Marion.

Crilo was fined by a justice of the peace and appealed to the county court and the county court held that he was not guilty.

The city of Marion appealed to the supreme court, contending that the cities and villages act gave the city power to enforce the ordinance.

In upholding the decision in the county court, the supreme court says that the cities and villages act gives cities the right to take disorderly conduct into consideration under clause No. 29 of the act, which have the right to adopt ordinances to enforce these powers.

The supreme court in its decision in Crilo's favor cites the case of the town of Cortland (DeKalb county) versus Larson in which the court held that "there is no law in this state which prohibits a person from receiving, keeping or using intoxicating liquor for private consumption when such receiving, keeping or using is done in a manner so as not to interfere with the rights of others and when there is no disturbance, no nuisance and no public use."

"As no question of unlawful sale of intoxication or disorderly conduct is involved, the judgment of the county court is affirmed," the court adds.

### Societies and Clubs

**Monday**  
Aurora lodge No. 245, K. of P., will hold its regular convention in Castle hall Monday evening. Business of great importance. All Knights are requested to be present to make arrangements for attending the district convention at Geneva, April 25.

Charles Otto, C. C.; William Polzien, K. of R. and S.

The St. Cecilia Musical club will meet Monday with Mrs. Ralph Sheppardson, 305 Garfield avenue.

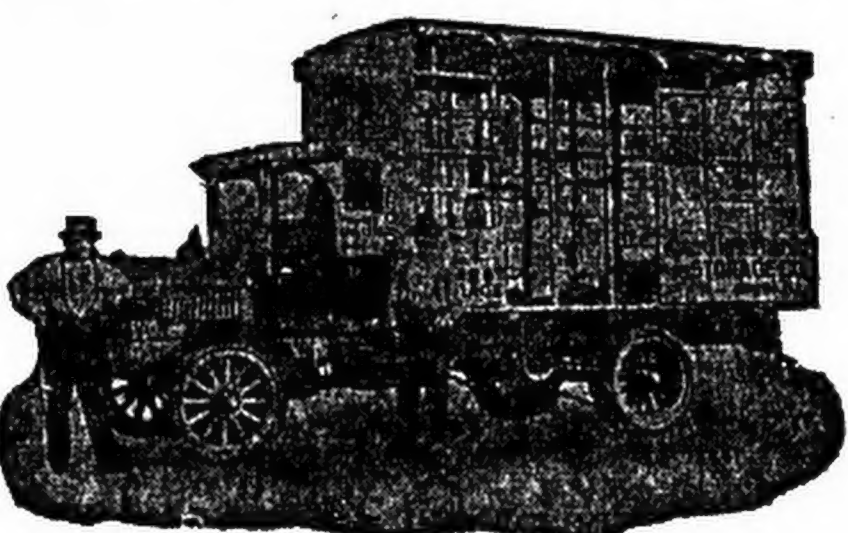
## Dedicate on Memorial Day

Permanence—possible through the quality of granite and the careful placing of a monument or marker—should be demanded when you plan to beautify the unmarked grave of a loved one.



Your immediate order insures completion of all preliminary work and placing by that date.

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## STABS SIX PERSONS IN FAMILY QUARREL

(By Associated Press. Licensed Wire.)  
Des Moines, Ia., April 21.—Hoyt Wilkins, 33, was held under \$5,000 bonds today charged with assault with intent to kill. Six persons stabbed by Wilkins last night are in a local hospital in a serious condition. The wounded include Wilkins' wife, her father, mother and sister and two children. A domestic quarrel started the trouble.

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\$10

Clear, Loud, and Sweet as the highest priced Phonograph made—Uses any Needle and Plays any make of Disc Record, any size, any price—No Extra Attachments needed—Fully equal in Tone Quality to the most expensive Phonograph and will do everything that a Talking Machine can do—The MELODOGRAPH is a Master Machine for Only \$10. It speaks for itself.



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57 North Broadway  
Both Phones 62

Unesda Biscuits, per package ..... 50  
People's Blend Coffee, per pound ..... 21c  
No. 3 Peaches, heavy syrup, 3 cans for ..... 45c  
Oxsul Oleomargarine, per pound ..... 28c  
Matches, full count, 6 boxes for ..... 24c  
Fancy Head Rice, 3 pounds for ..... 20c  
Fancy Oranges, per dozen ..... 22c  
Cracked Hominy, 6 pounds for ..... 35c  
Bulk Corn Meal, 6 pounds for ..... 35c  
Savory Milk, tall cans, per can ..... 10c  
Vegetable Soups, per can ..... 10c  
Fancy Peaches, per pound ..... 12c

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**Here Are Some Great Values—  
Take Advantage of Them**

### FRUIT OF THE LOOM MUSLIN

About 1,500 yards of this well known material to be distributed among those who attend this sale. Buy it here Bar. 13c gain Monday, at ..... \$1.95  
In order that all may have a share, we limit the quantity to each customer with 15 yards ..... \$1.95

**YOU CAN BUY ON MONDAY  
ONLY, LADIES' SHOES OR  
OXFORDS FOR \$1.50  
A PAIR**

They come in either patent; kidskin or dull leathers; button or lace models; high or low heels, plain toe or tip; round and narrow toes; all sizes in this large lot; the pair ..... \$1.59

**LADIES' BLACK GAUZE LISLE  
HOSIERY, PAIR, 21c**

Big value in ladies' fine fast black gauze lisle hose, with double sole, heel and toe, high spliced heel. We advise you to buy plenty at this price, pair ..... 21c

**CURTAIN MATERIAL VERY  
REASONABLE DURING  
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TIME**

Special lot of 42 and 45-inch wide Nottingham lace curtain material, handsome design, in white ivory or corn. For 22c Monday, yard ..... 22c

**MERCERIZED TABLE DAMASK,  
58 INCHES WIDE, FOR  
42c A YARD**

Our customers like this full bleached mercerized table damask, this number has excellent wearing qualities, full bleached, rich lustre satin finish. Special, per yard ..... 42c

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**Beacon-News Want Ads—Business Bringers**



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# Absorption Sale of Walk-Overs Famous Stock

## A Colossal "Drive" on the High Cost of Footwear

(By Joe Reising)



Women's Black Kid Turn, Nemo pump on the "Minuet" last, 15-8 inch semi leather, Louis heel, \$5.50 grade. Sale Price ..... **\$4.45**

### "Subway" Special

Men's No. 728 \$4.00 Walk-Over calf button, well shoes, Windsor last, now

**\$2.95**

Men's Tan Shoes, lace or button, medium broad toe, plain stitched tip, \$5.00 grade. Sale Price ..... **\$4.45**

### "Subway" Special

Men's No. 3003 \$4.50 Patent Lace Walk Shoes, "Plato" last, medium full toe, now

**\$2.95**

Men's Tan Lace Oxfords, new English model, "Cadet" last, low broad heel, \$5.50 and \$6.00 grade. Sale Price ..... **\$4.95**

### "Subway" Special

Men's No. 738 \$6.00 Patent Cloth Top Lace Shoes, "Belmont" toe, well sole, now

**\$2.95**

Men's Black Lace Oxfords, narrow English toe, low broad heel, \$5.00 grade. Sale Price ..... **\$3.45**

### "Subway" Special

Men's No. 314 \$4.00 Kid Blucher Well Shoes, broad toe, now

**\$1.95**

Men's Black Kid Lace Oxfords, broad toe, "Doc" last, \$5.00 grade. Sale Price ..... **\$4.55**

### "Subway" Special

Men's No. 505 \$5.00 Tan Calf Button Shoes, on the "El-low" last, a good full toed shoe, now

**\$1.95**

Men's Black Lace Oxfords, made for fast with buttons, a comfortable style, \$5.00 grade. Sale Price ..... **\$4.65**

### "Subway" Special

Men's No. 2335 \$4.00 Tan Lace Well Shoes, medium toe and heel, now

**\$1.95**

Men's Kangaroo Lace Oxford, a good round toe, low heel, \$5.50 grade. Sale Price ..... **\$4.65**

### "Subway" Special

Men's No. 505 \$5.00 Tan Calf Button Well Shoes, broad toe, now

**\$2.95**

Men's Black Calf Button Shoes, on the "Scout" last, a good button model, \$5.00 grade. Sale Price ..... **\$3.45**

### "Subway" Special

Men's No. 1525 \$4.50 Tan Calf Lace Oxfords, broad broad toe, well sole, a wonderful bargain at

**\$1.95**



Men's Tan Kid Lace Shoes, broad toe, "Doc" last, low broad heel, \$5.50 grade. Sale Price ..... **\$5.95**



Men's Tan Kid Lace Shoes, medium broad toe, "Plato" last, \$6.00 grade. Sale Price ..... **\$3.95**



Men's Black Calf Button Shoe, with a broad toe on the "Doc" last, \$4.50 grade. Sale Price ..... **\$3.45**



Men's Tan Kangaroo Lace Shoes, good straight last, low instep model, \$10.00 grade. Sale Price ..... **\$7.45**



Men's Tan Lace to Top Shoes, narrow English toe, "Cadet" last, \$8.50 grade. Sale Price ..... **\$5.95**



Men's Kid Lace Oxfords, narrow English toe, low heel style and comfort combined, \$7.50 grade. Sale Price ..... **\$6.45**

### "Subway" Special

Men's No. 550 and No. 553 \$5.00 fancy Top Oxfords, with patent and calf vamps, English last, now

**\$1.95**

Men's Kid Button Oxfords, round toe, "Scout" last, \$4.50 grade. Sale Price ..... **\$3.45**

### "Subway" Special

Men's No. 550 \$4.00 Calf Button Oxfords, high toes, well soles, now

**\$2.95**

Men's Black Calf Lace Oxfords, narrow English toe, \$5.00 grade. Sale Price ..... **\$3.45**

### "Subway" Special

Men's Tan Calf Oxfords, rubber sole, no heel, sport shoe, was \$5.00, now

**\$2.45**

Men's Black Calf Lace Oxfords, narrow toe, \$5.50 grade. Sale Price ..... **\$3.45**

### "Subway" Special

Men's \$4.50 Tan Calf Lace Oxfords, English last, low heel, snappy looking, now

**\$2.45**

Men's Black Lace Oxfords, narrow toe, "Cadet" last, \$5.00 grade. Sale Price ..... **\$3.95**

### "Subway" Special

Hundreds of pairs, all sizes and widths of the celebrated "Trot-Moc" sport Oxfords for men, in soft tan calf with well soles, very flexible, former price \$4.00, now

**\$2.95**

Men's Calf Button Oxfords, slightly raised toe and medium high heel, \$5.00 grade. Sale Price ..... **\$3.45**

### "Subway" Special

Men's No. 554 \$5.00 Black Calf Oxfords, English last, black cloth tops

**\$1.95**

Men's Patent Shoes, lace to top English model with a dull leather top, \$5.00 grade. Sale Price ..... **\$3.45**

### "Subway" Special

Men's No. 1144 \$1.50 Black Calf Oxfords, well soles, broad toes, now

**\$1.95**

Men's Black Calf Oxfords, blucher lace, round boxed toe, medium high heel, short vamp, \$5.00 grade. Sale Price ..... **\$3.45**

### "Subway" Special

Misses' and Growing Girls' patent leather, cloth, top, hand turned, button shoes

**\$2.19**

THE SALE goes on in all its glory. The crowds of yesterday were but a repetition of the masses who have thronged the aisles since the beginning last Wednesday. And what's more, they're going to keep right on coming—new faces. No sale in years has created so much excitement by way of buying, or demonstrated in greater measure that our people are keen judges of value. It's a sale backed with a reason; buyers know what to expect, have that old fashioned confidence in this house to deliver the goods; so what more logical to believe than that it's the banner sale of them all. You'll have to see how your friends walk out of here with bundles, loaded to the guards, so to speak, to appreciate what the whole thing amounts to.

## The Sale Your Neighbor Talked About

You remember I published an announcement in this paper some time ago to the effect that Europe had gobbled up practically all the leather it was possible to gobble. You've found out since, by paying the extra high prices, that such was the case.

Now that war has been declared, can you imagine what conditions are going to be like in another six months to a year? With the nations across the water clamoring for still more leather and shoes made up for wear—regardless of price—the scarcity of stock and materials can result in one thing only—still higher prices.

With this monster sale of Walk-Overs staring you in the face, I want to ask, have you seriously consid-

ered the shoe situation of the future? If not, it's a wise man or woman who will get right down to brass tacks and lay in a supply.

I inaugurated this sale of shoes for one simple reason. After I bought out the Walk-Over store and took over its stock, which was some stock—totaling \$25,000.00, in round figures, I couldn't see my way clear to pack it on the shelves and let business run along in the regular way.

I might have marked prices up to the present plane of the markets, but no! My profits would have been increased considerably, to be sure, but the usual selling pace would have made a "turn over" of stock stretch over too long a period to suit me.

Rather leave prices where they were marked originally and discount them liberally from that, in a big whirlwind sale to bring in the money. This system would even then net me a fair sum, based on old costs. That's the way I figured and that's what I've done.

Now then, if you want to save money, feel that it's "a good bargain" to buy shoes for much less than they were priced a year or more ago, or two pairs at the price of what one pair will cost you later, this is your opportunity, your one supreme saving chance.

I say this with the earnest conviction that customers will appreciate what I would call "inside information"; and commend me months hence for the opportunity I have so faithfully put before them.

## Just One Big Bargain After Another—Upstairs and Down!

### SHOES, OXFORDS AND SLIPPERS for MEN, WOMEN, CHILDREN.

Child's Patent and Kid Leather Button Shoes, gold wearing soles **\$1.15**

Ladies' Walk-Over Tan Calf Pumps, Good-year well soles, military heel, \$4.00 grade, now **95c**

Ladies' Walk-Over Patent Leather Oxfords, well soles, military heels, new wing tip, \$4.00 grade, now **95c**

Ladies' Walk-Over Patent Colonial Pumps, military heels, well soles, \$4.50 grade, now **95c**

Ladies' \$3.50 Walk-Over Shoes, leather vamps, cloth tops, well soles and medium heels and toes, good serviceable shoes, now **\$2.45**

Ladies' \$4.00 Walk-Over low heel, broad toe, well button shoes, now **\$1.95**

Ladies' \$3.50 Walk-Over Patent Leather Button Shoes, black cloth top, well soles, high straight heels **\$4.95**

Ladies' \$5.00 Bronze Shoes, lace, Louis heels, well soles, now **\$1.95**

Ladies' \$5.00 Patent Leather Pumps, leather Louis heels, pointed toes, well soles **\$1.95**

Ladies' Walk-Over \$4.00 Louis heel pointed toe Shoes, leather tops, well soles now **\$1.95**

Ladies' Fancy Top Shoes, in lace and button, Louis heels, patent leather vamps, \$6.00 grade, now **\$1.95**

Ladies' Plain Pumps, Walk-Over brand, medium heels, well soles, full round toe, \$4.00 grade, now **\$2.45**

Ladies' \$5.00 Walk-Over Patent Kid Black Cloth Top Button Shoes, broad toe, high Cuban heel, well sole **\$1.95**

Ladies' \$4.50 Walk-Over Tan Lace Shoes, well soles, low heel, broad toe, now **\$1.95**

Ladies' \$4.00 Leather Pumps, Louis heels, well soles, narrow toes, now **\$1.45**

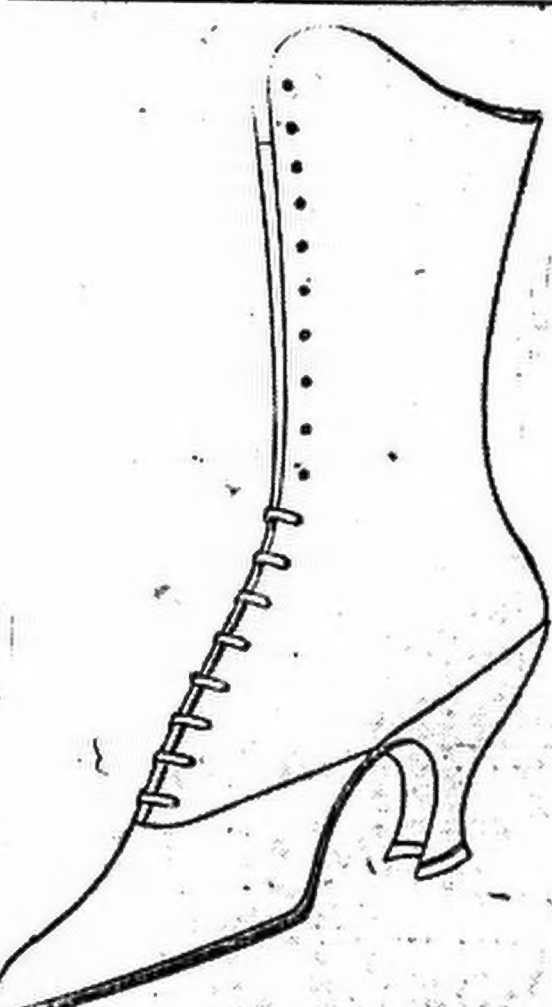
Ladies' \$3.50 Patent Pumps, "Whirl" last, medium heels, Walk-Over brand, now **\$1.45**

White Canvas Pumps, well sole, military heels, Walk-Over \$3.50 grade, now **95c**

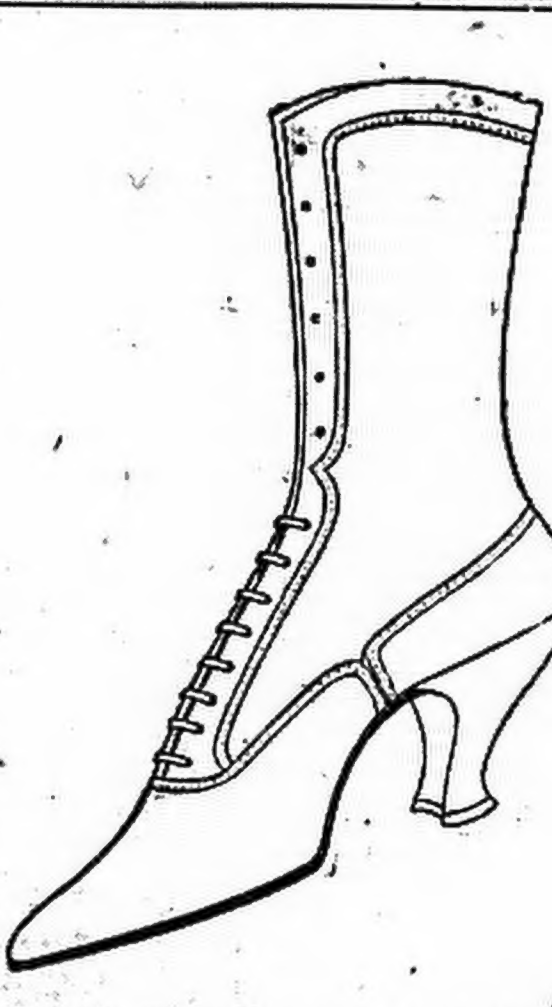
Ladies' \$4.00 Strap Pumps, all leather, medium heel and toe, well soles, Walk-Over, now **\$2.45**

Ladies' \$3.50 Patent One-strap Pumps, Louis heel, stage toe, now **\$2.45**

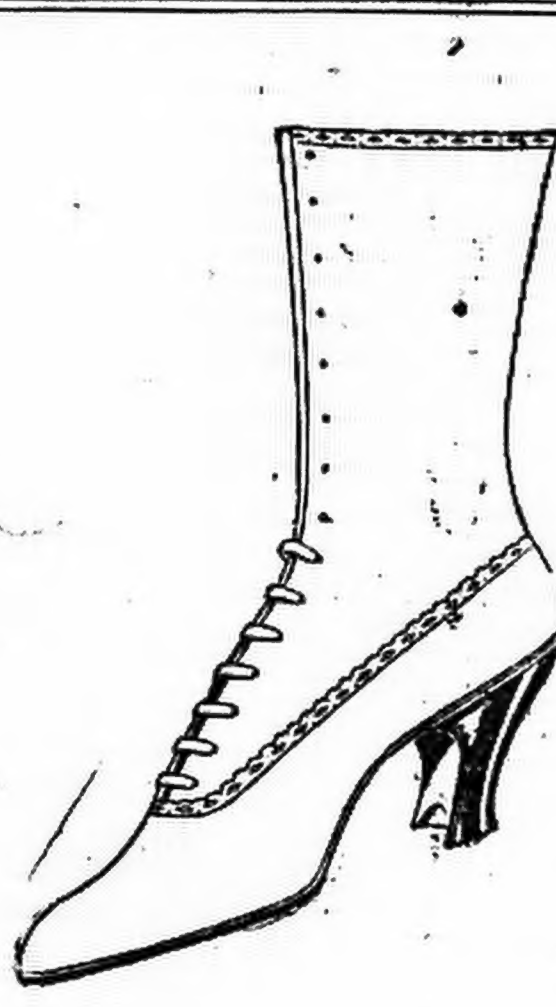
Ladies' \$4.00 Kid Button Well Shoes, well soles, medium heel and toe, now **\$2.45**



Women's Calf Vamp, Mat Top Boots, on the "Cavalier" last, well tip, 11-8 inch heel, \$6 grade. Sale Price ..... **\$4.55**



Women's Glace Kangaroo Boots, lace or button, extra light weight sole, 15-8 semi leather, Louis heel, \$7.50 grade. Sale Price ..... **\$5.95**



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Women's Kid Button and Lace Boots, in a medium round toe and low heel, light weight, McKay sole, \$5.00 grade. Sale Price ..... **\$3.85**



Women's Patent Vamp Boots, with bright kid tops, lace, leather Louis heel, narrow toe, 10-inch top, \$6.50 grade. Sale Price ..... **\$4.95**

### Main Floor Bargains

Women's Patent Kid Button Boots, black cloth top, medium low heels, round toe, \$1.50 grade. Sale Price ..... **\$3.95**

Men's Black Calf Button Shoes, on the "Scout" last, short vamp, medium high heel, \$5.50 grade. Sale price ..... **\$4.85**

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Children's Kid Button Shoes with good stout leather sole now ..... **\$1.45**



## AURORA FANS TO ATTEND



# IN THE FIELD OF SPORTS

## FIND GOLFERS ARE GOOD RISK

Insurance Companies Learn That Men Who Frequent Links Gain New Vigor.

## THEY REFUSE TO GET OLD

(By Hal Cady.)

(The International News Service.) New York, April 21.—A good golfer is a good life insurance risk. The statistic would seem to show. Of the 44 national amateur and national open golf champions since the tournaments started, in 1905, all but two are still "just as young as they used to be."

Only two of them are dead. They are Willie Smith, who won the national open title in 1909 at Baltimore, who died in Mexico City last winter of pneumonia, and Will Anderson, four times national open champion, who died six years ago in Pittsburgh.

All the rest are still galloping around the links about as briskly as ever and showing away three square meals a day. There is no age limit in golf.

Charles Blair Macdonald won the first national amateur championship in this country at Newport in 1913. Macdonald's name is still a frequent one in lists of tournament competitors. He was the first member of prominence to lay out links to this country patterned after the best abroad. To his credit are the excellent National Golf Links of America, near Southampton.

The second amateur champion, was H. J. Whitman, who won at Shinnecock in 1914 and repeated the next year at Wheaton. Whitman, with Findlay E. Douglas and Herbert M. Harriman, winners in 1905 and 1906, respectively, are as lively as Macdonald, and all four were prominent figures at the annual invitation tournament on the national links last August.

This quartet, like most golfers, find their appetite for the game made the keener by the fact that it is a game of the young. Walter J. Travis, now called a professional on account of his work as a course architect, was the next amateur champion. His redoubtable skill as a golfer is too well known to need emphasis. Louis N. James won at Glen View in 1902.

From 1903 on the amateur champions are seen by the list to still be among the best. They are Jerome D. Travers, four times amateur champion and once winner of the national open title; Eben M. Byers, amateur champion of 1908; H. Chandler Egan, 1904 and 1905; W. C. Gowans, Harold Hilton and Charles ("Chick") Evans Jr.

It is to be noted that the two deaths have both occurred in the ranks of the open champions. The rest of the professionals are still very much in the game, some abroad and others on American links.

Horace Rawlins, winner of the first open championship of the U. S. G. A., played at Newport in 1905, is now in England, having located at one of the courses in the London district. James Foulie, winner at Shinnecock in 1906, is an active "pro" at the Olympia Fields Country club, 1907, was in France when last heard from, and Fred Hard, who captured the open title in 1903 at Myopia, has returned to St. Andrews, in Scotland, the home of the Royal and Ancient club. Lawrence Auchterlonie, winner at Garden City in 1902, has done the same. Harry Vardon was successful in 1906 at Wheaton, and he completes the list of former open champions who are not at present here in America.

Also Smith, winner at Onwentsla in 1904, the best on the list located at the Detroit Country club, was the winner in 1907 at the Philadelphia Cricket club, and is today a hard man to beat.

Fred McLeod, who won at the Philadelphia Country club, successful at Myopia in 1906, still wields a maul with telling effect. George Sargent, who leaped to fame by his victory at Eastern in 1908, is at present at the Interlachen Country club in Minneapolis. Jack McDermott, winner in 1911 and 1912, is temporarily out of competition due to a breakdown in his health. His last report he was on his way to regain his strength.

The last four national open champions have been young Americans—three of them amateurs, O'Connell, Travers and Evans. The professional to take first honors at the national open championship at Midolman in 1916 was Walter C. Hagen of Rochester, present holder of the western open title.

## EXPECT EVERS TO RETIRE WITH OTHER GREAT STARS

(The International News Service.)

New York, April 21.—Three great stars of the diamond who began the season of 1917 in active competition with the best talent in the game have retired from active service, and a fourth may be passing the graceful LaJolla has departed to labor in other fields, the statistic "Wagner has quit the game, the statistic Mathewson has laid down his pitching scepter, and now they say that Johnny Evers is about there. Word comes from Boston that Evers may play again because of neuritis, which has affected his throwing arm.

New and brilliant luminaries are constantly flashing across the baseball firmament, but no season has ever produced four such men as LaJolla, Wagner, Mathewson and Evers. The game sustains a great loss when four such men drop out in one year. Evers will be seen in uniform this summer, but he will appear only on the coaching lines. He is done as a pitcher and will hurl only an occasional inning.

Evers has been on the verge of quitting for the last two years. He is not physically fit to stand the strain of big league baseball. His indomitable spirit has carried him far beyond where the average man stops. Johnny went into training with the Braves this spring, but was injured in one of the early games. It is said that one of his arms is several inches shorter than the other, a condition resulting from a nervous affliction.

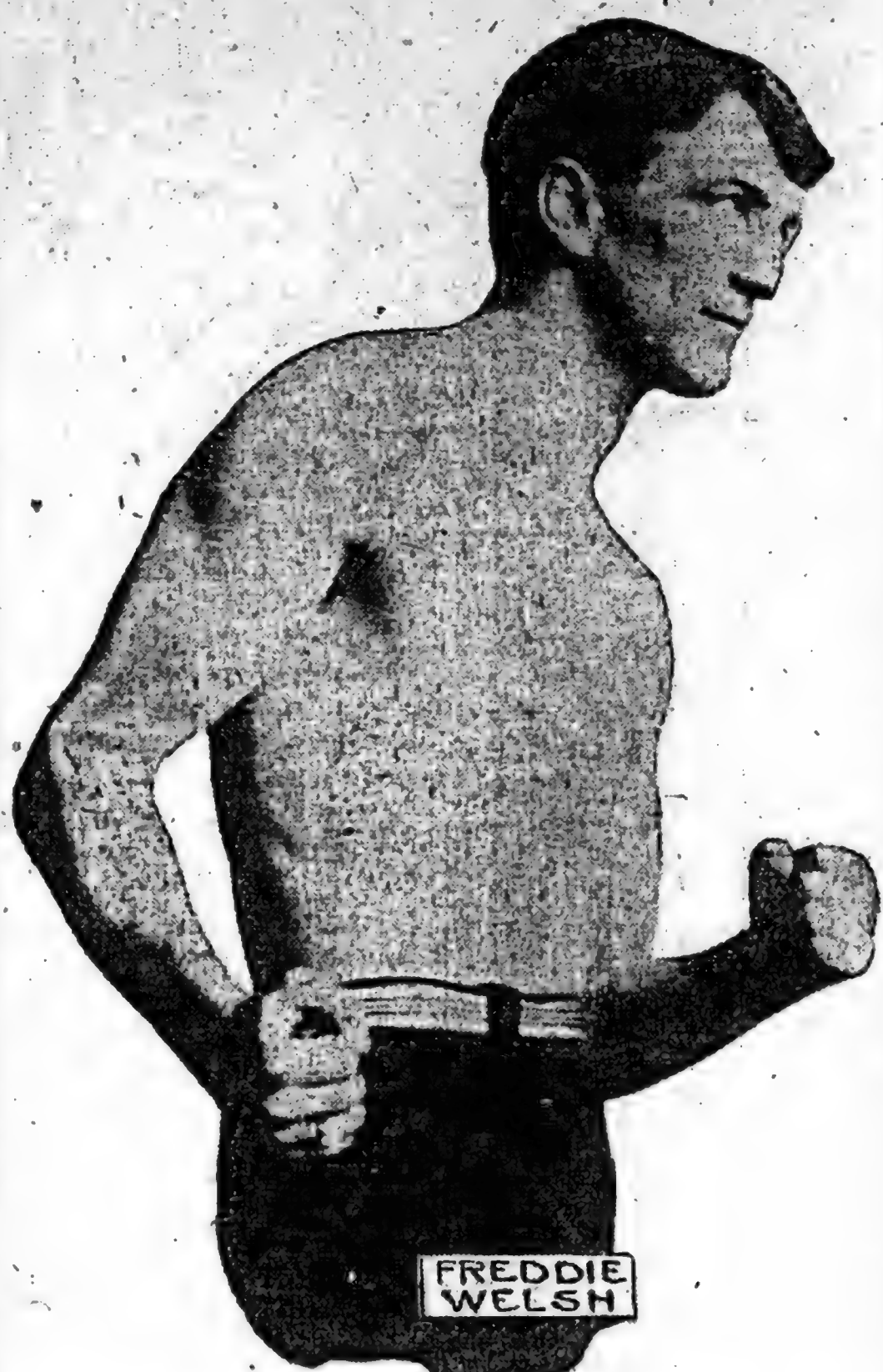
## JOHNSON VS. LANGFORD

New York, April 21.—A report from Buenos Aires says Jack Johnson is en route there to box Sam Langford June 10. Johnson is to participate in 21 exhibitions in South America, winding up with a 25-round bout with Langford.

## COLLEGE SCORES

Army, 4; Colgate, 5.  
Lehigh, 10; University of Pennsylvania, 1.

## Crown of Freddie Welsh Is in Danger



## BAR COACHES AS FOOTBALL UMPIRES

Central Football Board Revising and Bringing List of Officials Up to Date.

Men Engaged in Coaching Often Unable to Get Away to Officials' Meetings.

James A. Babbitt of Haverford college, chairman of the central football board, to which is delegated each year the task of appointing and assigning officials for the intercollegiate games, has written a letter to David C. Morrow, the Washington and Jefferson assistant coach for next year, that the board will not make an appointment as officials football men who are engaged in coaching.

Morrow, as well as a number of the old stars who have been officiating in recent years, is resigning in view of the fact that he is to engage in coaching next year, to withdraw his name for the present from the official list unless he expects to officiate regularly.

The central board, Dr. Babbitt says, is revising, correcting and bringing up to date its list of officials, which it hopes to make the best the coming season it has ever presented. It is pointed out that approximately 1,000 appointments are to be made during the coming season throughout the country, and for this reason it is hoped to have only men of known ability and fitness who can be counted upon to fill any appointment at any time.

Men engaged in coaching, it is shown, would be unable at times to fulfill engagements to which they might be assigned. Last year, Dr. Babbitt says, numerous changes in the original assignments were made necessary thru appointments cancelling engagements shortly before important contests because they were tied up by the duties in connection with coaching positions they had assumed. The committee desires to avoid any such embarrassments and complications the next season.

Morrow will make no effort to officiate in games next year. When not engaged with the Washington and Jefferson team he will be assigned to scouting duty and will watch all of W. & J.'s antagonists in games before they meet the Red and Black.

## LIFT KILBANE BAN

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.)

Minneapolis, Minn., April 21.—Johnny Kilbane, the featherweight champion, and Matt Brock, a Cleveland rival, may box in Minnesota if they wish. Their suspension by the Minnesota state boxing commission has been lifted. They were barred when it was alleged they broke a contract to box before a Minneapolis club. It was brought out, however, that Brock had not signed.

## WORLD'S MARK TO NOTRE DAME

Relay Team Steps the Two Miles in Drake Varsity Race in 7:56 4-5.

## THE ATHLETES WILL ENLIST

Des Moines, April 21.—A world's record went by the boards in the first university event of the Drake relay meet here this afternoon when the Notre Dame quartet of half-mile runners stepped the two miles in 7:56 4-5.

The winning four, Noonan, McDonough, Kasper and Meehan, ran a consistent race. Purdue and Chicago held the lead alternately at the start of the final lap, but Meehan outstripped Clark and Van Aken at the finish. Chicago finished third, tying the old record of 8:00 set by Illinois in 1914.

Condition were ideal and the collegiate relay produced another new Drake carnival record when Wabash ran away with the field in 2:24 1-2. The winning team, Nicholson, Cravens, Burns and Rima, was never headed and with closer competition probably would have cut the time more. Hamilton was second, and Yankton, third.

The crowd, estimated at 4,000, stood hunched while a hand played "The Star-Spangled Banner" before the first race was called. A huge American flag was suspended in the center of the stadium. More than 50 per cent of the athletes competing are planning to enlist when their services are required and most of them are already taking military training in one form or another.

Chicago had a romp in the four-mile university race over Ames and Kansas. Husted of Ames took a 25-yard lead on Otis of Chicago in the first lap. Sweet regained the lost ground and put Chicago well in the lead. Powers and Tenney then held the opposition safe.

Bob Simpson of Missouri had no trouble defeating Waldo Ames of Illinois in a special 120- and high hurdle race. Simpson's time was 6:14 4-5, one-fifth of a second slower than his own world's mark.

Northwestern, with Brightmire, Hamilton, Smart and Barker, took the half-mile varsity in fast time, with Missouri second and Notre Dame third. The Purple runners were not seriously challenged.

## INDIANA LOSES 1917 FOOTBALL CAPTAIN

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.)

Bloomington, Ind., April 21.—Russell Q. Hathaway, captain-elect of the Indiana university football team for next fall, has decided to enter the West Point academy next fall. Hathaway, who hails from the same town—Linton, Ind.—as Elmer Q. Kuykendall, who was the sensation of the Army eleven last fall, received the appointment last fall, but the Crimson supporters hoped to keep him at Indiana until the next football season, as he still has a year to play under conference rules. His withdrawal from school will be a loss to Indiana's 1917 football squad.

## JAMES IN SHAPE

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.)

Detroit, Mich., April 21.—If Pitcher Bill James doesn't help the Detroit Americans win a pennant this season, it will not be because he failed to train sufficiently in the penultimate. James worked like a Trojan this year.

A few days before the Tigers left the training camp, James reported at the practice field one morning and asked Manager Jennings to give him an early workout, as he had intended business to transact. Jennings did so and later learned that James was anxious to return to his locker where he had left jewelry and money valued at more than \$1,000. His valuables had not been disturbed in the race.

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## LOOSE FIELDING BY THE NAPS GIVE TIGERS GAME

(The International News Service.) Cleveland, Ohio, April 21.—Detroit, by stinging Bagby, when hits were needed, by taking advantage of sloppy fielding by the Indians, won the third game of the series today, 5 to 4. Poor fielding saved the Bengals three runs in the opening, but the Indians took kindly to Pitcher C. Jones and tied the score in their half. Cunningham, who replaced Jones, was a puzzle, and while the Tigers got two runs in the seventh, the best the Indians could do was one marker.

Score:	DETROIT	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bush, ss.	5	2	3	5	9	0	0
Young, 2b.	4	1	2	3	0	0	0
Cobb, rf.	3	1	3	0	0	0	0
Veach, lf.	4	1	3	0	1	0	1
Mellman, cf.	4	0	3	0	0	0	0
Crawford, 1b.	4	0	1	1	0	0	0
Dyer, lb.	4	0	0	1	0	0	0
Hopener, c.	3	0	1	3	0	0	0
Stange, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cunningham, p.	2	0	1	0	0	0	0
Nicholson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Totals..... 30 4 27 14 1

## Plan for Spencer in Ninth

CLEVELAND.—AB R H PO A E

Gulgo, 1b.	4	0	2	1	0
Roth, lf.	1	0	3	0	0
Evans, 2b.	2	0	0	1	0
Turner, 2b.	0	0	0	0	0
O'Neill, c.	2	0	0	1	1
Bagby, p.	3	0	0	1	2
Gould, p.	0	0	0	0	0
*Kavanaugh	1	0	0	0	0
Smith, p.	0	0	0	0	1
**Miller	0	0	0	0	0

Totals..... 30 4 27 14 1

## Hatted for Evans in Seventh

Hatted for Bagby in eighth.

Detroit..... 3 0 0 8 0 0 0 4

Cleveland..... 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 4

## Two Base Hit—Cobb. Three Base Hits—Gulgo, Veach, Stolen Bases—Alison.

Right: Double play—Wagby, Chapman to Gulgo. Bases on balls—Off Bagby, 5; off Jones, 1; off Cunningham, 3. Struck out—By Bagby, 4; by Cunningham, 3. Hit by pitcher—by Cunningham (Wagby, 1; Gulgo, 1); by Gould (Spencer, 1).

Evans, 1, in 0 inning with 3 runs and none out in first; off Bagby, 9 hits in 3 innings, and 5 runs, off Gould, no hits in no inning with none at bat and no runs (none out in ninth).

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Genevan Says, "Universal Training Has Come to Stay and Benefits Are Obvious."

"Interest at Batavia and Geneva is increasing. Colonel Fabry is expected to push the good work."

A military organization—to be styled the Fox River Guards—is proposed by Col. George Fabry of Riverbank, Ill.

Colonel Fabry says: "We want to start a campaign of doing our bit in the Fox river valley, and to this end I have prepared a report of what has been done at Geneva, Batavia, St. Charles and North Aurora."

"We want the newspapers to help us in the smaller towns on the river and encourage this movement by example and not talk."

"The Fox river valley is a community, and needs to be welded together, and get some of the public spirit that Aurora up to the present time seems to monopolize."

"Universal training has come, and it has come to stay. Any work done in this direction is good work, and will not have to be done over again. Its benefits are obvious."

Have Guard for Older Men—After the high school boys have been provided for, it will be a simple matter to have the young men take it up, and later perhaps the older men will organize a home guard, but the objective point today is the organization of the Fox River guards, and publicity is necessary, both from the favorable point of view, and that of intelligent criticism. The interest of the high school boys at Geneva and Batavia has been amazing, as has the apathy of the older people in seeing that they were furnished with equipment and encouraged to do their best, and we need a little sharp talk and printed matter to arouse the interest of the older people.

"It would be superfluous for me to say that I would back Colonel Fabry in anything he wanted to do for the good of the valley, and that I know that I have his backing for anything he can do for me."

"I would like to have a copy of this letter sent to Colonel Fabry, and if the matter of starting this movement in Aurora has not been taken up, I would like to have him have an opportunity to head it in any manner in which he sees fit. His judgment is good."

"I feel that this action will do more to awaken the proper spirit throughout the valley than any other which could be taken at this time. It will also serve to show where our people stand, and their attitude."

"It is my hope that on different Saturdays, or field days, it will be possible for the boys to get together in the different towns along the river, so that each town can see that the other one is doing its duty."

Colonel Fabry did not want his name to be used, and said, "I want neither glory, nor credit. I am sincere about the use of my name and fear that some one will think that I am trying to grind an axe of my own, if my name is used. This thing is too big and too far reaching for any person to take out any figure."

Plans for Guards—Following is an outline of the plans for and purposes of the proposed Fox River guards:

Object: To encourage organization; to weld the community together; to awaken public spirit and interest in these stirring times, without adding to the existing confusion, by establishing universal training and providing the necessary equipment for the high schools and the young men of the Fox river valley, he desires to be "doing their bit" in an intelligent manner.

To this end the merchants and the different boards of education are co-operating to raise the necessary funds. Arrangements have been made for the services of a regular army officer, and the high school boys of Geneva and Batavia have been drilling an hour each day.

The uniform decided upon is the one which was adopted by the board of education for the schools of Chicago—the cadet grey.

Geneva has about 75 per cent of the required funds subscribed. The boys have been measured, and the guns have been ordered.

Batavia is to hold a meeting soon for the purpose of ascertaining if their high school boys are going to be equipped, or forced to drill in their ordinary clothing.

"St. Charles has been opposed to universal training, and the idea of militarism in its schools, but pressure is being brought to bear for its favorable consideration."

North Aurora is considering the question.

## ANOTHER TIN LIZZIE!

What's next? Men have joked and poked at tin cans galore, but there's one man that's new—A'hem, it's a shoe repair delivery Ford.

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## SECURE NEW MANAGER

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The business having gone beyond expectation, it was necessary to engage a man of broad experience.

## WOULD REGISTER ALL MOTOR TRAILS

Senator Keesinger Has Bill Providing Listing and Description of All Routes.

Measure Has Backing of Aurora and Other Auto Clubs—Would Prevent Changes.

A law to provide for the registration of motor vehicle trails of Illinois is planned through the introduction of a bill by Senator Harold Keesinger. He introduced the bill Friday.

The bill provides for the registration with the department of public welfare of the names, insignia and description of all motor vehicle trails in Illinois. The measure, to be known as the "trail registration bill."

Auto Club Favors Bill—The bill has the support of the Aurora Automobile club and in fact every motorist. It will serve as sort of a copyright for each trail association, making it unlawful for anyone to infringe upon the rights of such associations by requiring that no routes registered shall be changed.

The Starved Rock trail which extends from Chicago, thru Aurora, Sulphur Licks Springs, and Ottawa to Starved Rock, was marked when the trail was established. Some villages not on the trail did some marking that misled motorists, ending them to towns not on the trail and that were away from the direct route to Starved Rock. The Aurora Automobile

## JAIL ROCKFORD PACIFIST

By Associated Press Local Wire. Rockford, Ill., April 21.—C. E. Allen of this city was placed in jail today because of alleged pacifist activities, including distribution of pamphlets.

## CHICAGO HEIGHTS SOLDIER DIES PNEUMONIA VICTIM

By Associated Press Local Wire. Springfield, Ill., April 21.—Terry Miller of Chicago Heights, a private in Company M, Sixth Illinois Infantry, died of pneumonia in a hospital here today.

Miss Emma P. Dawson, a trained nurse of Chicago, arrived in camp today to have charge of nursing those who are ill. She was sent thru the instrumentality of Mrs. Lowden and several Chicago women.

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## HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

East Side.

The class play, "Green Stockings," has been postponed to May 4.

Probably the most interesting speech ever heard in connection with farming at East High was made by J. E. Readheimer Thursday morning in convocation.

He strongly urged care in the selection of occupations and made very clear the open field for agricultural students.

The track team opens the season next Saturday with the meet at Joliet. The team has many new faces, but all have the E. A. spirit and will fight to the end.

Janet Weston visited the Chicago High schools Friday.

Mr. Gunn, the basketball coach, awarded the basketball letters and numerals Monday morning. The following members received "A's":

Heavyweight team, Burton, Perry, Myron Sperry, Donald Harding, Ben Ribleck, Edwin Bats, Elmer Elvov, Arthur Hobbs and Leslie Falk; lightweight, Arthur Ruddy, Clarence Blever, Harold Murphy, Oran Barrett, Valient Young and Willard Trout.

## NUMERALS WERE AWARDED

Joseph Wagner, Frank Unger, Harold Lauer and John Schumacher. Charles Quackenbush received a gold basketball charm for services as manager. Galeburg football team will play here October 18.

The History club will hold its fourth annual banquet June 11. The moving picture, "Little Shoes," presented in the auditorium Tuesday was a great success. After paying expenses it was found the school had realized about \$25. The following is the final report of the tickets sold by different sections:

Mr. Wardwell, 248; Miss Rankard, 238; Miss Ricker, 188; Miss Miller, 174; Miss Rosch, 148; Miss Briggs, 164; Miss Kesselback, 148; Miss Caldwell, 147; Miss Whitmore, 131; Miss Riggett, 118; Miss Garme, 111; Mr. Orr, 141; Miss Reid, 82; Miss Schmidt, 74 and 297 tickets were sold at the grand schools and at the door.

## C. S. DENEEN TO SPEAK AT NEW ENGLAND CHURCH

Under auspices of the Men's club. Hon. Charles S. Deneen will speak at the New England church this evening at 7 o'clock.

Ex-Senator Hopkins will introduce the speaker. Mr. Deneen's subject will be, "Some American Ideals."

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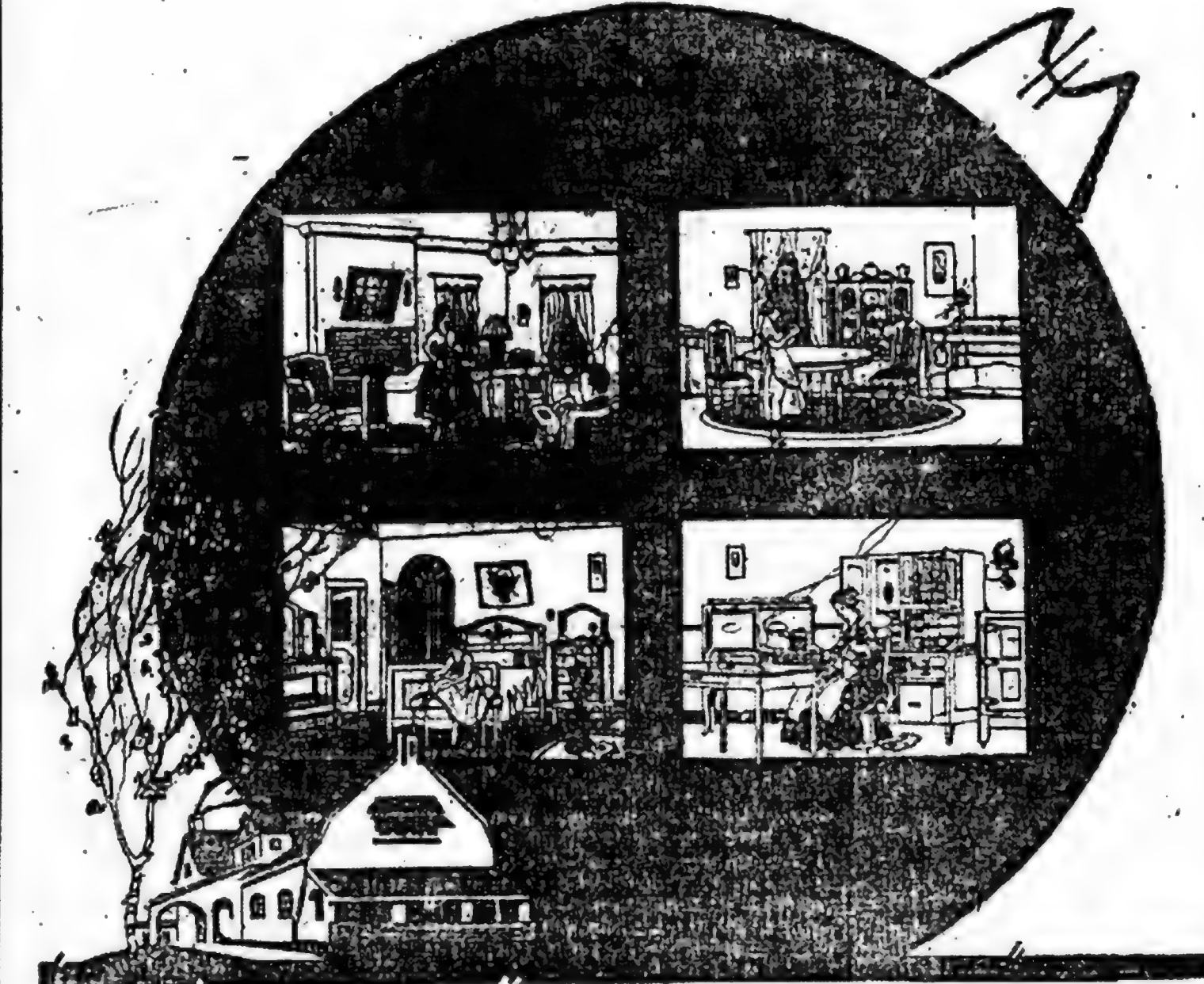
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Good Quality with All Worst Surface, Medallions and All Over Patterns, special for Monday only at

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## In the Automobile World

CAM SHAFT ON AUTOMOBILE  
DIFFICULT PART TO MAKE

There isn't any manufacturing plant more interesting than a motor car factory. In fact, it is little short of marvelous to watch the speed with which the various parts which go to make up a car are manufactured. While in Detroit recently, a representative of this paper visited the great Studebaker factories and inspected every process of manufacture from the foundry to the assembling department. One of the most interesting manufacturing operations was the process necessary to make a single part, the cam shaft used in the new Series 18 Studebaker cars. This part is a difficult one to manufacture, yet many of the operations in its making are the same as those required to manufacture the axle shaft, transmission shaft, propeller and many of the other 2,000 parts that go to make the finished Studebaker.

The steel for the cam shaft comes to the factory in bars. This bar is cut off by gigantic shears into billets about a foot long. The billet is heated to a malleable state just as the blacksmith of old heated the piece of steel to make a horseshoe, but the cam shaft, instead of being hammered into shape on an anvil, is placed on the file of a great steam hammer. The die, in the shape of the cam shaft—the hammer which strikes the steel is guided to strike exactly the same spot on the die each time. The face of the hammer is also cut in the shape of the cam shaft. This great hammer is operated by steam. In a few strokes the billet of steel is elongated and shaped roughly into its final form. At the same time the blows of the drop-forge hammer press the grain of the steel together and re-

fine it. After this operation the shaft is allowed to cool in the air. It is then heated again slowly to 1,700 degrees Fahrenheit. In a furnace, where the heat is electrically measured. This heat treatment readjusts the grain of the steel after the strains of the drop-forge hammer.

It then goes thru several lathe operations which will further shape it to its final form. For this process it is first cut to length and centered so that it can be turned accurately, and the grinding machines must be especially made to machine the cam surface into a paraboloid shape—that is, curved something like an egg. After these roughing processes the shaft is again tried, inspected and, if it passes muster, packed in a heat treating furnace, where it is kept for 11 hours under a temperature of 1,700 degrees Fahrenheit. Under this heat a chemical substance slowly permeates the surface grain of the steel and, when the steel is fixed by the next heat treatment, makes its surface "diamond hard" after that treatment. No skillfully has the steel expert developed this process that extreme hardness has been secured without the shaft being made brittle. But bear in mind, the hardness extends only just below the surface of the steel. The core of the shaft is still as tough as the horseshoe nail.

As a last finishing process it is cleaned, straightened, inspected and then passed on to the final grinder. Here it is ground to shape under emery wheels. Automatically, the emery wheels are guided over the curved surface of the cam so as to insure accuracy to the one-thousandth of an inch. On the six-cylinder Studebaker cars there are 12 cam surfaces—six for the intake valves and six for the exhaust valves. In addition, there are four bearing surfaces. This makes 16 surfaces to be ground, all to perfect dimensions and all in perfect line within one-thou-

## STORAGE BATTERY ECONOMY

In order to get the very best results from the electrical system on a motor car, it is necessary to get the full amount of current delivered from the storage battery to the electrical system. In covering the subject the Willard Storage Battery company of Cleveland, emphasizes the care that should be exercised in keeping terminals and all wire connections clean and tight. A loose connection or a terminal which may have some acid on it after the battery has been filled, will become corroded and create a greater resistance for the electrical current to pass thru.

This, naturally, weakens the strength of the current and at the same time wears out the connections by eating thru them. After filling a battery with water, it is well to wipe off the top carefully with a piece of waste or an old cloth dampened with ammonia or washing soda solution, and to see that all wires are fastened tightly before the car is put into operation again.

Points like these may seem simple to the average car owner, but by carefully following the instructions of battery experts, better starting and lighting service are sure to result.

## NEW TRADE BOARD RULES

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
Chicago, April 21.—Directors of the board of trade today adopted margin rules devised to stabilize and protect commission houses in their relations one with another and with the board. Its effect on the average customer, if any will be to increase the amount of margin he must put up.

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should be watched and the required tightening be performed. Spring clips and shackle bolts, body bolts, tender and running-board fastenings, and brake and steering-gear linkages are likely to loosen and require a "settling up" or two before permanency of adjustment is secured. Use plenty of oil on grease on all moving parts, however, seemingly unimportant. The springs will not develop their best action until after considerable use and they should not be called upon to act too harshly at first. Consideration should be paid to the varnish, which is not yet seasoned. Give it plenty of cold water spraying, avoid very muddy or dusty driving, and do not leave the car in the hot sun, unnecessarily, for a time. In short, "nurture" the car carefully until all its parts, thru moderate usage, have gradually settled down into a satisfactory condition of permanent tolerance.

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## LESSONS FROM EUROPE

(Note.—With regard to co-operation of the automobile industry and preparation to meet the Automobile this week says.)

The automobile industry has two main tasks before it: first, the complete provision of army transport; second, the manufacture of an air fleet. In carrying out both of these tasks the industry is faced with the most important and difficult problems of engineering and mechanical men from the automobile industry in the right place. We can take a lesson from the experience of Europe in this matter.

It took England practically two and one-half years to awaken to this situation. A few months ago England selected the head of one of her greatest motor manufacturing concerns to become the director of aviation production in the country. She called another man of unquenchable automobile business experience to direct the development of the tractor situation. She did this after two and one-half years' muddling experience.

America should keep out of this muddling so far as the automobile industry is concerned. That England went through this muddling is a lesson today is handled by the automobile industry's brains, and is handled well. The system was worked out by those men who were required to secure the minimum knowledge necessary of military practice and discipline so that they could satisfactorily connect their engineering experience with military conditions.

As a result of this we find automobile factory superintendents in charge of base depots and repair shops; we find foremen of automobile factories working in the army; we find automobile engineers and factory designers perfecting the war tanks; the automobile associations and clubs took up the task of providing drivers, dispatch riders, and aviators as well as sending the engineers from the automobile industry to the right place. To the automobile dealer the work of organizing supply depots was given. This work was not quickly done, but it was efficiently done in the end.

The war found England with an army but without motor transport. At the start all existing vehicles were mobilized. They were such a heterogeneous mass as to present a sorry situation, but they did the work. Luckily for America there is no need for such emergency transportation. The army has enough motor trucks for its existing quota of men. There is time to make new trucks of the kind the army needs most. We should not make the error of employing trucks or motor cars at present in industrial and commercial uses. These should be used only for emergencies. The government should set about purchasing new trucks to meet the requirements of its developing army.

An emergency taxicab mobilization saved Paris, but with a previously organized motor transport, the critical situation would not have arisen.

The same applies to aviation. We must have the right man in the right place. To the aviation engine many of the quantity produced automobile engines are as a watch to a chronometer. If the government sends a row call for bids for an aviation engine of approved design it is safe to say that 10 per cent of the bidders would not be able to ship engines in quantities fit to use before April, 1918. Automobile and aviation matters are very closely connected, but a concern cannot turn from manufacturing an automobile to building airplanes in weeks or months.

In producing a military truck which is of different specifications from motor trucks used in industries, we have an example of how delays in deliveries come, about it. A truck manufacturer has to alter his existing truck to meet specific requirements of the government. It will require months to make the change. On the other hand, many of our makers have been supplying satisfactory trucks for the European belligerents and these same types should prove entirely satisfactory for our own army.

The automobile business engineer can give potential assistance to motor transport work. Motor transport means machinery transport. Machinery requires the services of engineers and mechanics. Satisfactory service will not be obtained from our motor transport unless such men are placed in control.

Cynics believe the time for people to get married is before they are old enough to know better.

With the present price of onions, who dare say that hitherto humble vegetable is not in good odor?

A government school of diplomacy is being talked of, but does anyone know anything about diplomacy?

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Running on ordinary coal oil or distillate, covering a stretch of more than 300 miles in reverse gear and plowing thru hail large enough at times to smash the thick glass of the windshield, a New England family of 10 browned faces motored into San Francisco last week.

Abraham Toube of Portland, Maine, is the owner of the car and father of the eight children who are happy to boast of the various records they made on the long overland ride.

Papa Toube, is a Russian by birth, as are the two oldest children; the mother is German and the balance of the family, down to the wee little girl 5 months old, are sons and daughters of Uncle Sam. All pledge support to the U. S. A.

The quaint-looking tourists left Portland, Maine, some three months back in the Chalmers that they had already driven eight years. Taking their time en route and working in various capacities along the road, the New Englanders were the object of interest in every state and town they visited.

NEW FUEL ECONOMY  
RECORD BY MAXWELL

Using a Maxwell touring car which for two years had been battered day and night in a fleet of mountain stage coaches in southern California, Clarence Bradshaw of San Diego has just attained a new official American record for gasoline economy by piloting his Maxwell over 14.5 miles of ordinary road going with one gallon of fuel.

Bradshaw could do the economy demonstration made in California last year by Ray P. McNamara, whose attainment of 15.6 miles on one gallon of fuel had previously held all official records in America for long distance on slim rations.

McNamara made his run as a Maxwell factory representative, but Bradshaw's betterment of it reveals what the average Maxwell owner can do in keeping his upkeep costs at the lowest level.

Bradshaw's mount, like all other cars entered, carried two officially appointed observers. They drained the carburetor and measured the gallon of fuel, which was fed from an auxiliary tank attached to the windshield. The conditions of the com-

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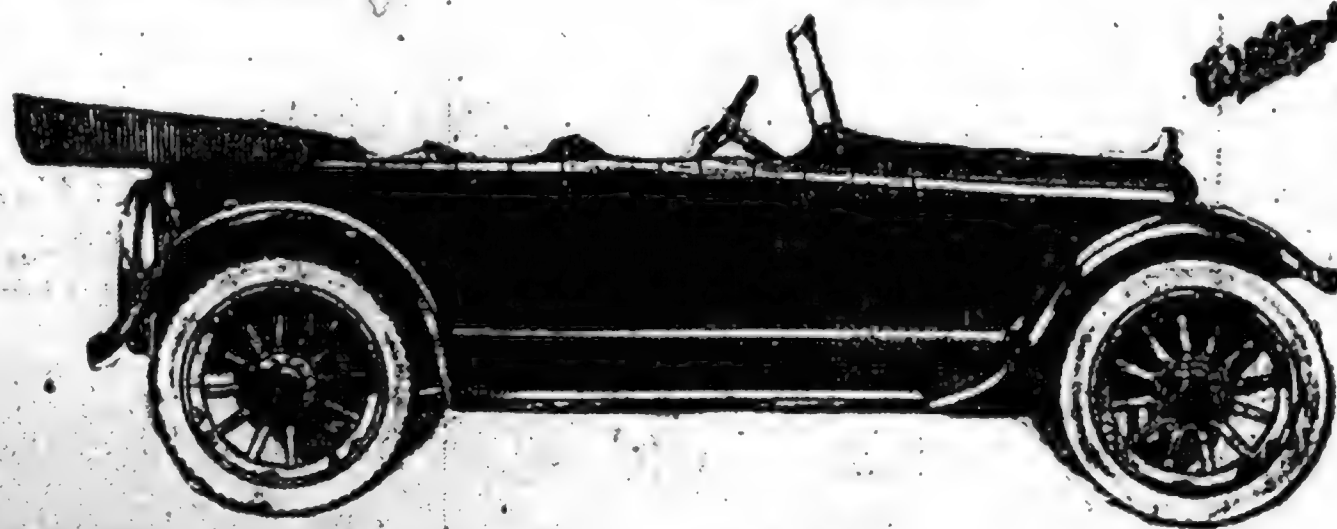
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ARMORED KING CAR AIDS  
MARINE RECRUITING

New York, April 21.—There was a big jump in marine corps recruiting during the past week because of the presence here of the King armored car, in charge of a specially detailed crew from the League Island navy yard.

Capt. F. E. Evans, head of the marine corps recruiting headquarters in this city, superintended the quick dashes of the business-like looking war machine about the city and the special recruiting work done at the show room of the King car corporation at Broadway and Fifty-second street.

Artemus T. Jr., president of the King Motor Car company, came here and saw to it that Captain Evans and his staff had every facility to stimulate recruiting.

The car equipped for war with a Bank rapid-fire gun in a revolving turret, was driven over the roads from Philadelphia with Sergt. Charles E. Loring at the wheel and Corp. Fred W. Stevenson in the turret. After reporting to marine corps headquarters it made its sensational dash thru the city.

The marine corps is planning to send this car all over the country. The car will not remain in any one place long. The itinerary is now being arranged by Major Seth Williams and includes nearly every state east of the Rocky mountains.

The chassis of the car is manufac-

tured by the King Motor Car company of Detroit, and the armored body, the design of Capt. W. A. Ross, is manufactured by the Armored Motor Car company of Detroit.

## RECORD CAR FAMINE

New York, April 21.—The largest freight car shortage ever reported by American railroads existed on April

1. It was announced here today by the American Railway association. The shortage on that date was 14,689 cars, an increase of 1,237 from compared with March 1.

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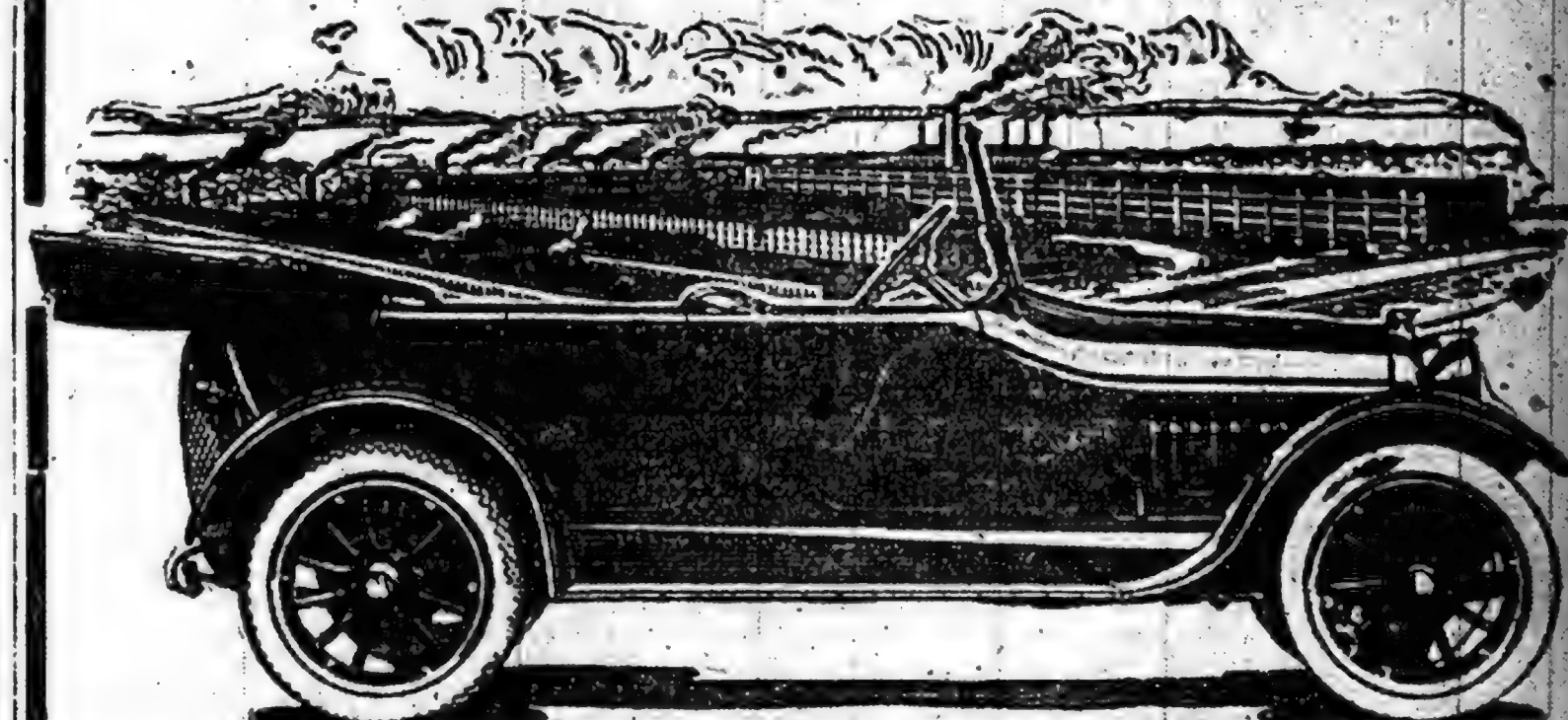
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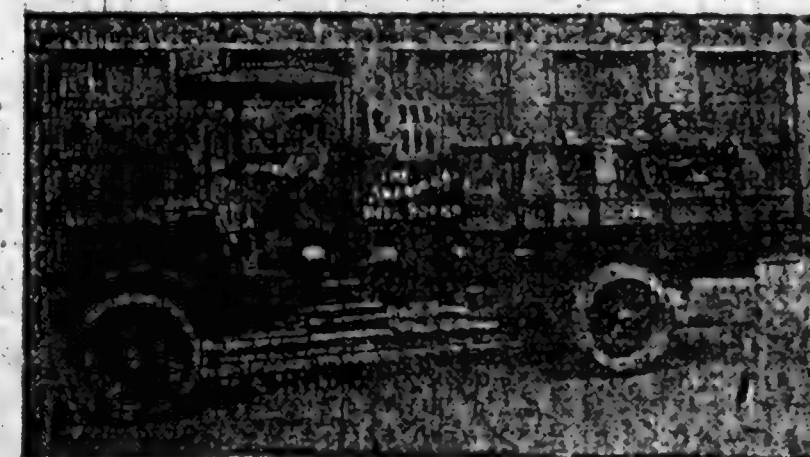
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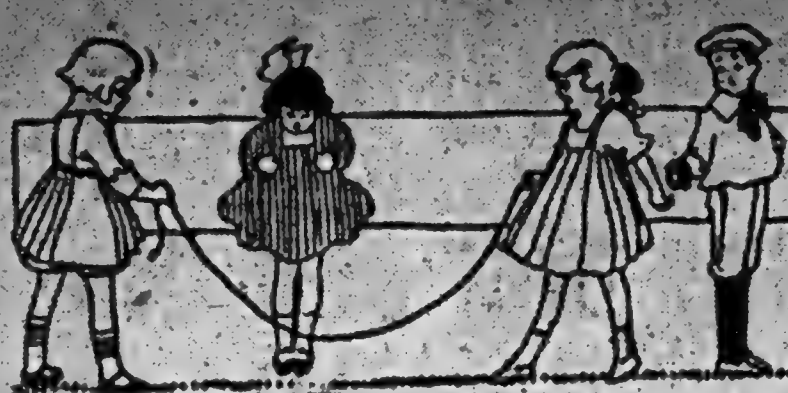
The Federal Motor Truck Company, in turn, considers itself fortunate in securing such a wide-awake, live-wire concern as its representative, and feels sure the high standards of service that have made Federal "the truck of remarkable satisfaction," will be fully lived up to by this concern.



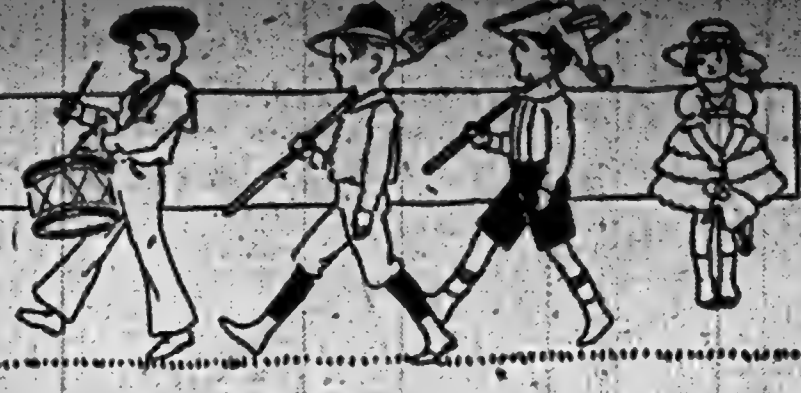
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# FOR THE YOUNG PEOPLE



## THE BIGGEST PIECE

BUNNY BOB'S getting "awful greedy," said Winkle Cottontot, who was a dear, little bunny, but rather critical. "He always takes the BIGGEST PIECE!"

Winkle's eldest brother named Nim agreed. "We ought to do something about it," he said. "It's awful! He'll grow up to be a perfect PIG!"

"He's one already," piped up Tim, another brother. "It's a shame! We ought to do something about it!"

Soon after this conversation, the three little bunnies ran and told their mother that their rich Uncle Robert was coming to pay them all a visit.

"We must put our best foot forward," said Mother Cottontot. "Uncle Robert, you know, lives with a very wealthy family and he's most particular. I'll bake a fine cake with icing, so clear out of the kitchen and don't disturb me until it is done, then I may give you the icing pot to lick."

The three little bunnies ran and sat on the doorstep, while Bunny Bob, who didn't know about the cake and the icing pot, ran off in the meadow to play with his other brothers and sisters (there were sixteen little Cottontots in all, so one always had somebody to play with).

"When the cake is cut and passed around, Bunny Bob will take the biggest piece, he always does," said Winkle.

"It isn't fair," said Nim. "Uncle Robert will be disgusted and not come any more and bring us hearts of lettuce-heads and carrots!"

"Oh, I've thought of such a good trick to play on Bunny Bob!" cried Winkle. "You know how he's always playing jokes on people. Let's play one on him and teach him a good lesson. We'll make a big cake and shape it just like a big slice. It will be the biggest piece. Then we'll cover it with icing and when Bunny Bob grabs it and bites it—Tee-hee!—won't he make a face!"

"Tee-hee!" laughed Nim and Tim. "Let's go down to the brook and slice all ready, so when Mamma gives us the icing we can put it on at once," said Winkle.

"And let's put salt and pepper and mustard and onion juice in it, so it'll taste terrible!" cried Nim, jumping up.

"And when you pass the cake around, he'll get it," said Tim. "Do to the brook run the three little fellows and there they got their mud and patted and slapped and shaped and smoothed until they had a thick wedge, shaped just like a slice of cake, a great big, wide, thick slice! Then they ran with their eyes closed, just in time, for Mother Cottontot's head appeared in the doorway.

"What am I going to do with the child?" she questioned. "Half asleep. 'How, oh how, dear, teach her that she cannot always have everything that she wants on the ex-

act minute when she first wants it."

Frances was indeed getting to be a problem. She was restless and seemed to be growing naughtier every day.

Few things pleased her. She thought of ever so many things that she would like to have and when told that she could not have them she flew into a temper.

"Patience! That is what the child needs to learn," Mrs. Johnson murmured. "She doesn't know how to wait for things, yet. What can I do that will teach her patience? How can I show her that she must learn to wait for things, if she is ever to be happy?"

The unhappy mother rose from her chair and sauntered out into the small garden that separated her house from the street. She walked about for a few moments looking at the big lilac bush in the corner to see if its buds were beginning to swell.

"Spring will soon be here," she said to herself, "and what a lot of work I shall have getting this garden ready for my flower seeds!" Then a bright idea came into her mind. Why not let Frances help with the garden, or better still, let her have a little garden of her own! While waiting for the seeds to sprout, and watching the little plants gradually grow and bear flowers, Frances would see how necessary patience was in the life of old Mother Nature, and maybe she would grow to be patient, herself.

"Frances," she called. "Come here, dear. I want to tell you something."

In a minute, Frances appeared at the doorway, her face still clouded. "What do you want?" she asked.

"I have a plan, dear, and I want you to hear it. You know, this is the time to begin a garden and I was wondering if you would like to start a little garden all your own."

"Frances' face brightened a little. 'You can have your own seeds, and select your own flowers,' her mother went on to say, 'and when the flowers come in the summer you will know that your care brought them. Would you like that, dear?'

"Yes," answered Frances. "But I want to have some flowers that will bloom right away. I don't want to wait until summer for them. Can I have some quick flowers?"

"I think we can manage that," said her mother, and putting her arm around her little girl's waist, sauntered into the house. That night when Frances was in bed Mrs. Johnson lay awake all night, for she would let Frances plant some bulbs, for these would bloom earlier than the summer flowers. They were, indeed, quick flowers!

My second is "to bestow; to yield to."

The whole is the name of a noted soldier whose birthday occurs this month.

ANSWERS.  
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Feminine Cooper. Final—The Two Admirals.

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## Our Puzzle Corner

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## PRAISE FOR KANE COUNTY POOR HOME

State Picks to Show Pictures of  
Institution at Alma House  
Exhibit in Pittsburgh.

Rating of Homes Based on Care of  
Inmates, Equipment and Effi-  
ciency of Management.

The Kane county home has been selected by the state charities commission as one of the best institutions of its kind in the state. Pictures of the buildings and grounds are to be shown in the Illinois almshouse exhibit at the national conference of charities and corrections to be held in Pittsburgh, June 5-13.

The state charities commission has asked the county officials to furnish pictures of the home showing buildings, grounds and special features of the institution.

The almshouses selected by the state charities commission as the model institutions of the state are those which combine the three most important features of almshouse administration—humanity and intelligence, of inmates, good physical equipment, and efficiency of management.

A. L. Bowen, executive secretary of the state charities commission, and chairman of the committee on public charities of the national conference of charities and corrections, makes the following statement concerning the exhibit:

"The committee on public charities of the national conference of charities and corrections announce a competitive exhibit to occur during the forty-fourth national conference at Pittsburgh June 5-13, 1917. The purpose will be to bring to the public notice the best examples of management and plans of almshouses in the United States and Canada.

"All officials interested are encouraged to participate for the sake of making a successful exhibit and of informing others of interesting and meritorious features of their work.

"Appropriate publicity will be given the exhibit and results of the competition. Superintendents of home for the poor, county boards, building commissions, and other public officials are invited to participate. It is earnestly hoped that those in this branch of the public service will spare no reasonable expense in making the occasion a success by furnishing plans and descriptive data."

Kalaga's Electre Coals Her Job.  
[By Associated Press Local Wire.]  
Tallahassee, Florida, April 21.—The Florida state college for women asked Miss Felma Borge, a music teacher, to resign because she persisted in keeping a picture of Emperor William draped with a German flag hanging in her study. She resigned, and today this note was found pinned to her door: "Tell my pupils I am leaving because of my pro-German feelings, not because of ill-health."

The association has assurances that several other of its members will follow the same course.

A matinee idol is also among the men of letters.

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## NORTHWESTERN AGAIN WINS COLLEGE DEBATE

Naperville Team Defeats Carroll Col-  
lege of Waukegan.

Naperville, Ill., April 21.—Northwestern college won its eighth consecutive victory in inter-collegiate debate last night by defeating Carroll college of Waukegan, Wis., by the unanimous decision of the judges. The team for Northwestern consisted of Oscar Beyer, Clarence Erdmeyer and Rueben Mundorf. Carroll was ably represented by L. W. Gaaschamp, L. W. Spickard and L. R. Mundt.

The question debated was a very timely one, which is being debated almost universally this year by all the leading colleges and universities throughout the United States—Resolved, "That a Permanent Arbitration Board with compulsory powers should be established by congress, to settle disputes between railroads doing an interstate business and their employees." Constitutionally conceded.

The affirmative argued that a change in the method of settling railroad disputes is necessary, because the crisis of last September showed present methods to be unable to cope with emergencies. Public welfare is vitally connected with railroad service, and as a public utility public welfare demands that the right to strike be limited for railroad employees, who because of the nature of the service which they render become in a peculiar sense public servants. The affirmative then advanced the plan of compulsory arbitration as follows: A board of three members is to be appointed by the president with the approval of congress, consisting of a representative each of the railroads and of labor, and three members to represent the interests of the public. These are all to be experts and thus render awards in cases of dispute which shall be as nearly just as is humanly possible. Strikes on all interstate railroads will be declared illegal. Both the railroad corporations and the labor unions

are to be incorporated under a federal charter. Thus the funds and the leaders of the union both can be attacked in case of a threatened strike. When the laborer shall enter the employ of the railroad he shall sign away his personal right to join in a strike as is done in any ordinary contract. Such a plan, it was contended, would be practicable and enforceable. Also it will insure better justice to all parties concerned in the dispute. Compulsory arbitration is the next logical step in extending the province of justice. The negative contended that compulsory arbitration is unnecessary because voluntary arbitration and mediation have been very successful. Compulsory arbitration is wrong in theory and has been unsuccessful when tried in Australia and New Zealand. It is opposed by capital, labor, economists and congress. Further it is impracticable because the award of the court could not be enforced and thus it would defeat its own purpose, that is to remedy present evils. It would be unjust and would mean involuntary labor by depriving the working man of his only legal and economic weapon, the strike. The arguments closed well, but in the rebuttal Northwestern clearly out-classed the "Carrollites" and won by force of argument as the unanimous decision of the judges will attest.

Let's wife turned to salt only after she had turned to rubber.

## THE BARNYARD HEN MAY FEED A NATION

[By Associated Press Local Wire.]  
Chicago, April 21.—The peaceful barnyard hen may become a factor in solving the war time food problem if the program of the American Poultry association is carried out, and 100,000,000 pounds could be added to the nation's meat supply within six months.

"Be patriotic and raise chickens," said E. T. Richards of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, today, addressing a meeting of the association, of which he is president. "Within 60 days we can hatch enough chickens to add 100,000,000 pounds of meat to the nation's supply by the middle of September. The hatching season must be extended."

There's not a pair of legs so thin, there's not a head so thick, There's not a hand so weak and white, nor yet a heart so sick, But it can find some useful job that's crying to be done, For the Glory of the Garden glorifieth every one.

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## BANK SITUATION BECOMES STRONGER

(By Broadland Wall.)  
(The International News Service.)  
New York, April 21.—In the average bank statement today, loans were reduced \$445,000, net demand deposits \$24,452,000 and reserves \$24,742,600. The actual statement showed an increase in loans of \$393,000, a decrease in net demand deposits of \$18,044,000, and a decrease in reserves of \$7,550,000.

This statement shows that the banking situation was stronger at the end of the week than it was a few days earlier. Money, however, is at the moment not a matter of any concern in Wall Street.

The stock market opened weak today and in the first few minutes there were some material declines. But the market was steadily heavy throughout the session, but most of the list was steady and the net changes for the day were unimportant. The close was near the best figures. One specialty to distinguish itself was Jittsburgh and West Virginia which advanced in the face of heavy declines. Wabash, Pittsburgh Terminal, bonds which represent this company, were also up again. Pittsburgh Coal and New York Air Brake were conspicuously, but in them the trading was light, and they recovered. Sugars were firm.

Bankers Take U. S. Steel.  
United States Steel was well purchased and there seems to be no escape from a conclusion that the stock is being accumulated by bankers in anticipation of some important movement. It is enough to say that the company is in financial position to do anything they desire regarding a dividend rate.

It has apparently been decided by the government to suspend rush work on battleships and concentrate their efforts to merchant ships. This means two things from a stock market point of view—the first and most important is that our government has complete confidence in the continued friendship of its allies, else it would not abandon construction of defensive ships. This argues a long peace once it is attained and seems to dispose of the Japanese question. So Wall Street likes this feature.

Means More Ships.  
The other thing is that it means more ships, more quickly for exports and an expansion of foreign trade. Incidentally they mean a bigger market for steel.

Much discriminating buying is in evidence and one of the stocks selected for this is the preferred issue of the new Pittsburgh & West Virginia road, successor of the Wabash, Pittsburgh Terminal railroad.

Another stock that is being picked up is one that has been kicked around the curb for nine years—Consolidated Arizona. This company will, by July 1 have a million dollars surplus, according to present progress of business and it is expected the directors will then pay a dividend probably at the rate of 40 cents a share yearly. Virginia-Carolina Chemical is also well purchased. This company supplies southern farmers with fertilizer.

## Social Chatter

In warm weather you will look for ice cream and The Bon Ton will look for you.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Fishburn of Cleveland, Ohio, who came to Aurora to attend the funeral of Mrs. J. J. Fishburn, have gone to Chicago for the week-end where they will be the guests of Mrs. Fishburn's brother, Samuel Stolp.

Warm weather and The Bon Ton work, hand in hand.

Mrs. Myron J. Davis has been ill at her home in Galena boulevard for the past week and is still unable to leave her bed.

Dieting? Then our dainty lunches are the thing for you—The Bon Ton.

Miss Verna Dudgeon of Morris is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Dudgeon of North Lake street.

Early cabbage plants, 10c per dozen. Aurora Greenhouse Co., on the island.

Miss Palmer's school of shorthand, 87 S. 4th. St. Chi. phone 931-W.

Raymond Wilcox of Rockford, a nephew of M. E. Woolf, and bride have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Woolf.

Fresh Kendall county dairy butter Monday, 45 cents. Ideal Butter Store, 110 Fox street.

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## SUFFRAGE NOTES

The Suffrage Amendment Alliance, although disappointed in its efforts to secure a referendum on the Illinois suffrage amendment in 1918, will continue its campaigning for suffrage and work during the summer for the federal amendment, as that presents the first opportunity. A chairman in each congressional district will push the work through the state.

In each senatorial district the organization will work for the election of Illinois lawmakers who will help to further suffrage in the next session of the legislature.

Mrs. William B. Owen of Chicago, has been appointed chairman of the Illinois committee on tariff and agriculture to assist the National American Woman Suffrage association in its new national work.

The Mississippi Valley Suffrage conference will meet at Columbus, O., May 12, 13, 14, 1917. General topic: Victory. Among the twenty-one states participating the most envied and praised will be Indiana, Arkansas, Iowa, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma and South Dakota, all with great suffrage victories to their credit. The committee in charge is Mrs. Florence Bennett Peterson, Mrs. Andrew Ueland and Miss Elizabeth J. Hauser of Warren, O. Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt of New York, president of the National and International associations, Governor James M. Cox, Mrs. Catherine Waugh Mc-

## ALL RECORDS GO IN WHEAT MARKET

Past Week Most Erratic in Price Movements in History of Grain Trade.

Despite Abolishing of Canadian Duties Quotations Have Continued High.

(By Associated Press Staff Writer.)  
Chicago, April 21.—Rapid and continuous sweeping price changes in the wheat market during the last week have exceeded all precedent. In spite of abolition of Canadian duties on wheat and notwithstanding an appeal by the secretary of agriculture that congress authorize definite limits on food costs, the wheat market here was this morning 1 1/4 to 1 1/2c higher than a week ago, largely because of reports of big purchases of future deliveries for entente government interests. Compared also with a week ago, corn showed gains of 3/4c to 5/8c, oats were off a shade to 1/8c, and provisions varying from 5c decline to 35c advance.

Abnormally active demand for flour counted at the outset as a powerful

Culloch, Mrs. Ella S. Stewart, Mrs. Raymond Robbins, Miss Alice Stone Blackwell, editor of the Woman's Journal, and others will speak. All suffragists are welcome.

factor on the bull side of the wheat market, and there were exciting advances on the announcement of a huge decrease in the United States weekly visible supply total, diminishing the aggregate to 19,300,000 bushels, less than was the case a year ago. Tuesday, however, witnessed a break of as much as 1 1/4c chiefly because of wild selling which resulted from making millions of bushels of Canadian wheat in the United States free of duty and apparently opened the door for importing without limit wheat into this country from Canada.

### Foreign Buying.

Assertions that export interests were buying future deliveries on a large scale gave a sensational upturn to the wheat market on Wednesday, and there was also gossip that foreign governments controlled millions of bushels of Chicago contracts for other grain as well as wheat. Further extraordinary advances ensued Thursday and Friday, influenced by the vanishing of hope that any important enlargement of supplies from Canada was immediately forthcoming. Besides, the shortage in the domestic winter crop was said at Washington to be fully as extensive as preliminary estimates had indicated. Friday's advances, however, more than disappeared, especially after news was at hand relative to the action of the secretary of agriculture in regard to fixing maximum and minimum war prices of food products.

Corn and provisions were governed in great measure by the course of wheat. Oats eased off a little owing to favorable weather and to prospects of much enlarged yield.

## Specials for Monday Only



## THE ANNEX

Wagner's Bargain Basement  
At 91 Fox St. Near Broadway



Every pair of Women's Slippers in The Annex on special sale tomorrow only. All new, up-to-date Spring styles. Pumps or strap effects, patent, gun metal or kid leathers.

\$2 and \$2.50 values

**\$1.69**

\$3 and \$3.50 values

**\$2.49**

SUBJECT: "Footwear Carrying Low Heels." Styles specially adapted for Ladies, Misses and Women of older years who demand comfort as well as fashion.

## Not every woman likes high heeled Shoes

Those who do not, but seek models equally youthful, denoting grace and charm of line, will find plenty of low and moderate heel boots and slippers here decidedly to their liking.

### —pumps and strap slippers

in a variety of styles and patterns—gay little pumps that young girls pronounce "simply too dear for words." Made of patent kid, black calfskin and glazed kid leathers—also in white reignakin cloth—all with those sensible, yet sprightly low heels!

### —conservative shoes and slippers

with low heels, for the woman who looks to fashion and appreciates ease in wearing, as well as those styles that ever remain staple and in accordance with good form.

## Waegner's

"Shoes That Satisfy"

At 91 Fox Street, Near Broadway

There is nothing in all Aurora to compare with Waegner's style and value. The fact has held true through years, but is especially noticeable now that shoe conditions are so uncertain. You have but to compare to become convinced.

Here pictured is what is known as the Sport Shoe



### —sport shoes and oxfords

of every perfect description, low broad or military heels, in rich brown Cordo, Russia tan, and steel black calfskin leathers, also in white reignakin cloth with white buckskin or tan calf leather trimmings.

### —Wagner's fitting service

How well we know how to fit the foot that comes to us is best evidenced by the constantly growing clientele who, as a result of constant disappointment, have come to headquarters for highly intelligent and the most satisfactory wearable service.

### —see the windows

If you would gain an idea as to just what is latest and best, the pattern most conforming with your preference, the picturesque setting of our windows is a sight of the shoe world interesting to behold.

THIS ADVERTISEMENT WILL NOT APPEAR AGAIN!

# A Rousing 6-Day Wind-Up Sale

HomeGrown Nursery Stock, Hardy Shrubs and Trees of Every Description—**NOTHING RESERVED**

My, how they came! By automobile, by train and trolley, afoot and otherwise, buyers from Aurora and twenty-five miles in every direction came to share the biggest shrub and tree bargains in many a long day. Heretofore our business has been mainly in connection with the wholesale trade. The special three-day event of last week proved to be a most phenomenal success—breaking all previous selling occasions at retail—and was planned to give our home folks the benefit of your nurseries' products at a cost even below the wholesale market. We considered it good business—fine advertising for the future. We did it to help boost Aurora and beautify the town. So we gained, and buyers profited.

## Six Days More of Cut Prices—DON'T YOU MISS IT!

The enormous scale on which we conducted business last week made such inroads into our stock that we have now decided to close out the balance of our Shrubs and Trees—Grown Right and Dug Right—at an actual sacrifice. Practically every line still offers enormous variety and every one who comes can be satisfied, regardless of their needs or wants. Nearly every home-loving citizen is planting shrubs and trees this year, in city and country. It makes for the better life and certainly lends attractiveness to home grounds. Do as your neighbor is doing—plant now!

### Bush Fruits

Currents, any variety.....15c each  
Gooseberries.....15c each  
Raspberries, St. Regis Everbearing.....\$1 doz.  
Blackberries.....\$1 per doz.  
Strawberries, good varieties.....\$1 per 100  
Plo Plant.....10c each, \$1 dozen  
Asparagus.....\$1 per 100

### Saturday, April 28th—Hardy Plant Day

Iris in seven kinds.....15c each, \$1.50 doz.  
Phlox, in six kinds.....15c each, \$1.50 doz.  
Hardy Larkspur.....15c each, \$1.50 doz.  
Gross Pinks.....15c each, \$1.50 doz.  
Lemon Lilies.....15c each, \$1.50 doz.  
Many other kinds of good, hardy flowering plants.

### Mothers' Old Fashioned Flowers

Hardy things that come up every spring.

TERMS OF SALE STRICTLY CASH—On account of the exceptional sale prices no goods will be delivered except at an extra charge covering cartage.

## THE SHRUBS--Read These Prices!

High Bush Cranberry, 3-4 ft., each, 35c; ten.....**\$2.50**  
High Bush Cranberry, 2-3 ft., each, 25c; ten.....**\$2.00**  
Red Dogwood, 3-4 ft., each, 25c; per ten.....**\$2.00**  
Purple Barberry, 2-3 ft., each, 25c; per ten.....**\$2.00**  
Big Flowering Syringa, 4-5 ft., each, 25c; per ten.....**\$2.00**  
Lilacs, White and Purple, 2-3 ft., each, 25c; per ten.....**\$2.00**  
Ibota Privet, each, 25c; per ten.....\$2.00

Hydrangeas, good plants, each, 25c; five for.....**\$1.00**  
Japanese Barberry, 12-18 inch, per ten.....**75c**  
Japanese Barberry, 18-24 inch, per ten.....**\$1.00**  
Golden Bell Forsythia, each, 25c; per ten.....**\$2.00**  
Bush Honeysuckle, 3-4 ft., each, 25c; per ten.....**\$2.00**  
Snowballs, 4-5 ft., each, 25c; per ten.....**\$2.00**  
White Kerria, select plants, each 25c; per ten, \$2.00

### Savings on Beautiful Roses

Illinois Rose, big plants, 25c each, \$2 per 10  
Rosa Rugosa, 2 years.....25c each, \$2 per 10  
Climbing Roses.....50c each, 3 for \$1  
Bush Roses (as long as they last).....60c each, 3 for \$1  
Rose of Sharon, big bushes, 4-5 feet, four colors, worth \$1, sale price.....40c each

### HEDGE SHRUBS

Mulberry Seedlings.....\$1.50 per 100  
Hedges: Amour Privet (the one hardy hedge, big plants).....\$10 per 100

### FRUIT TREES

Apples.....25c each, 5 for \$1  
Cherry.....50c each, 3 for \$1  
Pear.....50c each, 3 for \$1  
Crab Apples.....25c each, 5 for \$1  
Peach.....25c each, 5 for \$1

Bridal Wreath (as long as they last) 12-18 in. - 50c per 10  
Bridal Wreath (as long as they last) 18-24 in. - \$1.00 per 10  
Bridal Wreath (as long as they last) 4-5 ft. Plants - 50c each, \$4 per 10

**Aurora Nurseries**  
J. A. Young, President Garfield Ave. and Elmwood Drive

HOW TO REACH THE NURSERIES—West on Garfield avenue to Elmwood drive, turn south when houseings will be plainly noticeable. Or Downer place car to Elmwood drive and walk block and a half south.



## Movie Notes

## Her Father's Keeper.

"Her Father's Keeper," the new Triangle feature photoplay with Irene Howley and Frank Currier, comes to the Fox tomorrow.

Claire Masters, motherless daughter of a dominating financier, is kept in the rut of society by her strong-willed father, who believes that women are out of place in the business world. But Claire, finding the life of the society utterly empty, revolts. Her revolt is increased by the contents of a letter left for her by her dead mother in which Mrs. Masters warns her daughter that the financier needs guarding against himself, that in the heat of business there was always danger of his overstepping the bounds.

Claire breaks with her father and goes out into the world to learn the business game. In this she is helped by Ralph Burnham, son of a rival house and the one man who counts in Claire's life.

At a crucial time in the affairs of Masters, Claire, prepared by a thorough schooling, secures a position in the office of her own father and during his absence manages under an assumed name to get herself appointed as his private secretary. On his return, he finds himself assisted by the daughter he had sworn never to speak to if she left the parental roof.

The old man has a grim sense of humor and he lets the situation stand. Meanwhile Claire gets wind of just such a shady deal as her mother had feared he might enter.

He tried to break the house of Burnham and is determined that no scruples shall stand in his way.

Claire's wit is keen. She secures evidence that will convict her father in a court of law and at the crucial moment confronts him with it. Checkmated he is forced to call off the deal and gives his consent to the marriage that he had so strenuously forbidden.

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Current Events From Everywhere

GERTRUDE ASTOR

In a Three Act High Class

Dramatic Feature

"THE STARTLING CLIMAX"

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MARJORIE ELLISON

In a Two Act Human Interest

Drama

"UNCLE JOHN'S MONEY"

EDDIE LYONS, LEO MORAN

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In One of Their Famous

Comedies

"MIXED MATRIMONY"

2 to 5:30 p. m.—7 to 10:30 p. m.

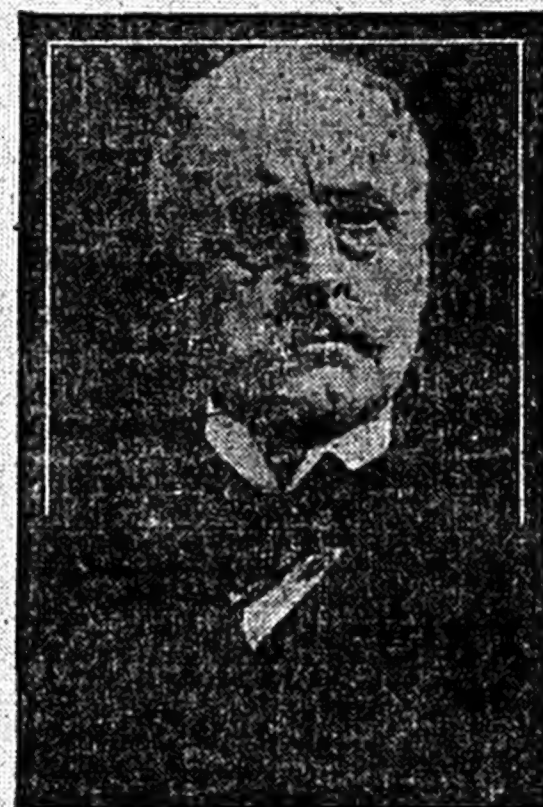
Continuous Saturday and Sunday



IRENE HOWLEY AND JACK DEVEREAUX IN TRIANGLE PLAY, "HER FATHER'S KEEPER."

## FOX THEATRE

TOMORROW AND TUESDAY



Frank Currier in Triangle Play, "Her Father's Keeper."

The Triangle Photo-play presents

Frank Currier

—and—

Irene Howley

—in—

"Her Father's Keeper"

The story of the spirit of a true American girl of today who thwarts father to save him.

ADULTS 10c

CHILDREN 5c

2 to 5, 7 to 10:30 p. m.

In "Told at Twilight," the Pathe Gold Rooster play, starring Baby Marie Osborne at the Strand theater, there are many delightful scenes. At one point of the story Little Mary Sunshine has been put to bed without her supper. In the middle of the night, both her father and mother repent. Father (Henry King) goes down stairs to get her something to eat, and mother (Beatrice Van), who has already brought something up stairs and hidden it, takes it in to the little girl. Hearing father coming she puts the bowl of milk under the covers and tells little Marie not to tell papa. Papa comes in, gives the little girl more milk and crackers

and tells her not to tell mamma. Suddenly little Marie begins to cry. "What's the matter?" both parents ask. "Mamma says 'Don't tell papa,' papa says 'Don't tell mamma,' and I'm all wet because it wouldn't hide." is the amazing answer. Investigation proves that the milk has been spilt on the little girl's nightgown and she must change it.

For the first time since his memorable fight in "The Birth of a Nation," which was produced three years ago and immediately after which he joined the Jesse L. Lasky Feature Play company, Wallace Reid has been transferred from the Lasky studio in Hollywood to the Oliver Morosco studio in Los Angeles. This marks the first defection of Mr. Reid from the Lasky ranks, but it does not prophesy any departure from his justly celebrated acting tendencies.

Mr. Reid has battled with practically every male citizen of sound health in the Lasky organization from one time to another, and is now taking up a similar line of endeavor at the Morosco studio. The first news which comes from the latter place concerning Mr. Reid announces that in a battle royal between the youthful star and two members of the organization which he has just joined, he sprained wrist, two teeth and one hip are numbered among the casualties.

2:30 P. M. 7:00 P. M. 8:30 P. M. **FOX THEATRE** 15c & 25c  
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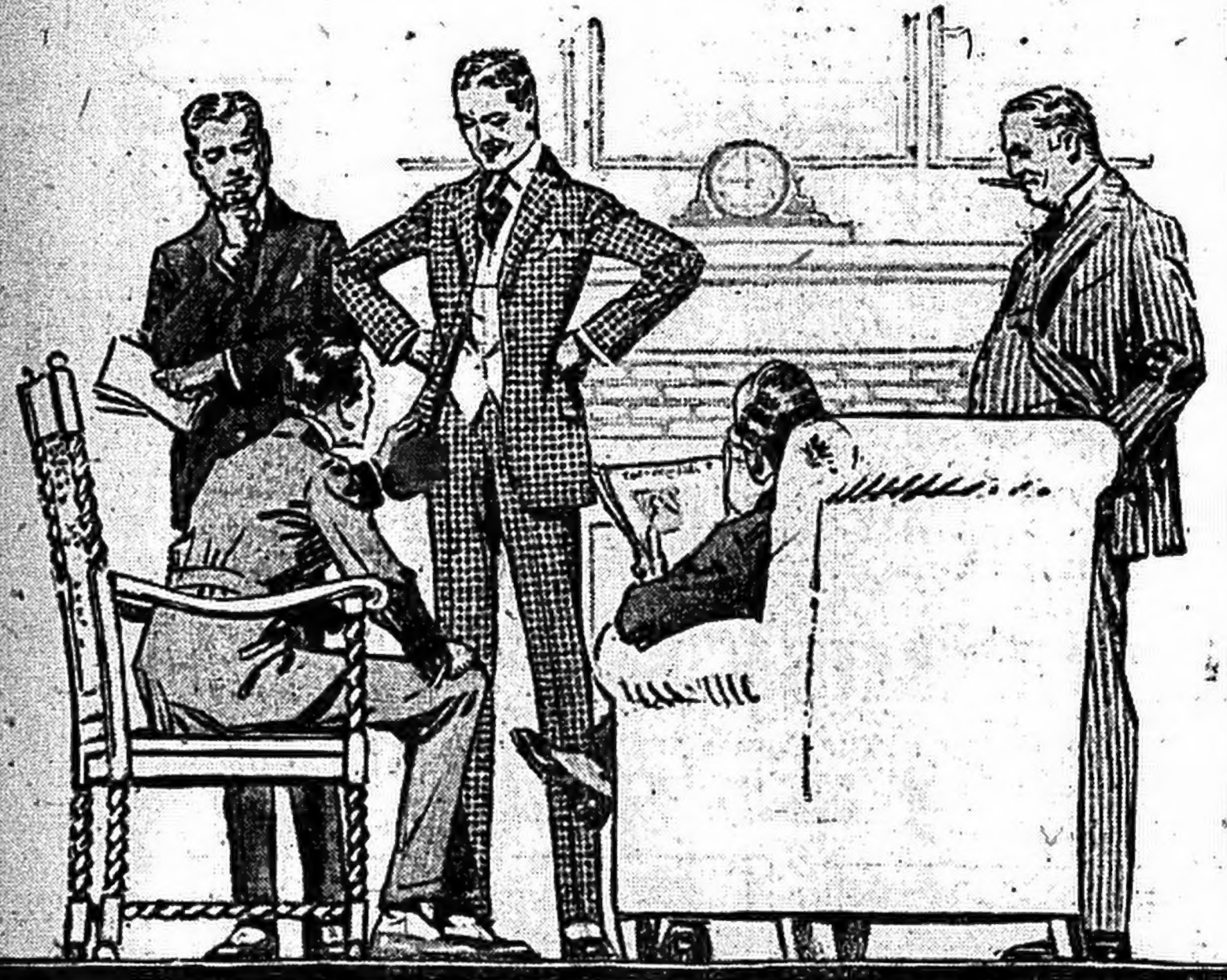
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## Baby Marie Osborne

—IN—

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Better Than "Little Mary Sunshine," "Shadows and Sunshine," "Twin Kiddies," "Joy and the Dragon."



Baby Marie Osborne (Pathe)

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